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REVOLT FEARS STIR GERMAN POPULACE

FINANCE BOARD FIGURES TO GIVE NEW MILL RATE

If Edmonton is to secure a 55-mill rate for 1935 the general tax levy must total approximately $3,000,000 or $562,000 less than the 1934 levy of $3,562,000, it was revealed in a commissioners' report submitted to an adjourned meeting of the civic finance committee Saturday night. This is a possible Christmas gift for the taxpayers.

This meeting was called for the purpose of further discussing Mayor Joseph Clarke's plan to defer sinking fund payments during 1935. Agreeing there must be a substantial reduction in the tax rate for next year, the committee supported the following motion moved by Ald. R. V. Bellamy:

"In respect of the mayor's submissions in respect to the tax rate and the sinking fund, your committee agrees that there must be a substantial reduction in the mill rate for the year 1935, but recommends that the question of deferring payments to the sinking fund be reserved until the estimates are presented! to city council; and that in the meantime the commissioners along with the comptroller and auditor prepare further proposals for submission to this committee."

PRUNING SUGGESTIONS

Offering his advice to the committee, D. M. Duggan, leader of the Conservative party in the provincial legislature, suggested that ex-

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NURSE CRAZED BY GRIEF ENDS 7 LIVES: SELF

Wounds Two Others in Frenzy Before Taking Fatal Poison Sip

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 24—A 37-year-old trained nurse distraught by the realization she never again could trim a Christmas tree for a son who recently died, yesterday shot to death seven members of a family of relatives, critically wounded two and then took her own life by poison.

The tragedy was enacted in the home of Walter Dempsey, modestly decorated for a Christmas celebration that will not be completed.

Chief of Detectives George W. Murren said Mrs. Kathryn Schoch of Dunkirk, N.Y., a sister of Dempsey, did the shooting, while the family slept and then drank poison.

Shortly after the bodies were found, police at Dunkirk, N.Y., broke down the door of an apartment and found Mrs. Ruth Hughes, sister of Mrs. Schoch, dead. Police Lieutenant L. H. Kraiger of Dunkirk said he believed she had been "murdered," perhaps two days ago.

Notes found in the possession of Mrs. Schoch related that she and her sister "Ruth" had been depressed by the son's death. Mrs. Schoch and Mrs. Hughes lived together in Dunkirk.

The dead, besides Mrs. Schoch, are: Walter Dempsey, 42, a welfare worker; Robert Dempsey, 12; Thomas Dempsey, eight; David Dempsey, 15-months-old; Walter Dempsey, Jr., 10.

Wounded: Mrs. Clara Dempsey, wife of Walter, shot in the head, expected to recover; Harry Dempsey, 15, shot in the back and head, condition serious.

Mrs. Schoch's son, Jimmy, seven, died last November.

GRAND DUKE TO WED JULIANA

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A Daily Express dispatch from Berlin said today the engagement of Juliana, crown princess of the Netherlands, and the Grand Duke Frederich Franz of Mecklenburg would be announced in January, according to an authoritative source.

Because the court at Amsterdam is in mourning for the late Prince Consort, the story asserted, the announcement has been delayed.

CANDY, SNEEZE HAS INFECTION

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 24—Evidence that infective germs expelled by a person's coughing and sneezing may remain alive in the air for many hours, was made publice Sunday by Harvard scientists.

William F. Wells and Wyman R. Stone said they had produced evidence that minute droplets expelled by a person in coughing, sneezing or talking, do not fall to the floor immediately but evaporate and may leave behind infective germs which drift about for hours.

Mayors Will Hold Confab

CALGARY, Dec. 24.—A conference of western municipalities' representatives for a discussion of unemployment and financial problems was called today for January 28 by Mayor Andrew Davison of Calgary, acting in conjunction with Mayor J. A. Clarke, of Edmonton.

More than 75 municipalities are expected to be represented including the cities of Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw, Edmonton, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Vancouver and New Westminster.

Reduction in interest charges, both on current borrowings and bonded indebtedness; unemployment relief costs, and re-adjustment of taxation methods between the Dominion, the provinces and cities are the major problems to be discussed. A uniform policy of educational and social service costs will be sought.

LITTLE DONNA DIED HAPPY, FALSE XMAS

MUSKEGON, Mich., Dec. 24. — Five-year-old Donna Mavis Shaw, who knew all of the sorrow and some of the joys of the fictional "Tiny Tim," died last night amid the tinsel and holly of "the Christmas yet to come."

Suffering from a malignant growth which her physicians feared would not permit her to live until next Tuesday, Donna died while her parents arranging her gifts around the gaily decorated tree which they hoped against hope Donna would be able to enjoy Christmas morning.

It was Christmas time for Donna, right up to the last. She had been able to see her tree, had ridden in the toy automobile upon which she had set her heart, and had been thrilled with hundreds of greeting cards sent to her from all parts of the country.

DISABLED SHIP TAKEN IN TOW

HALIFAX, Dec. 24.—The Belgian steamer Emile Francqui wallowing in heavy seas with her rudder carried away 200 miles off Sable Island was taken in tow today by the steamer Henri Gaspar and was brought toward Halifax. Distress signals had sent ocean liners speeding to her assistance to save her from "The Graveyard of the Atlantic."

DOCTOR VISIONS CRAWLING ERA

SAN JOSE, Dec. 24.—"—J'ever see a dream walking?"

This query will be even goofier fifty years from now than it is today, according to Dr. W. H. Heuschele, pioneer orthopedist here.

"Everybody will be crawling around in wheel chairs then if the present rate of foot trouble continues," he said. "Even today, 90 per cent of the American public is bothered with foot ailments."

3-Year-Old Twins Finally Named

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 24.—For three years, the latest pair of twins in the Buren E. Hamm family has been nameless.

Nine brothers and sisters, including four other sets of twins, had just about exhausted the parents' supply of names. Yesterday it was decided to name the 3-year-olds after the county nurse, Miss Hilda Keplar.

Thus the youngest became Hilda and Wilda.

The new names pleased Sylvester and Sylvia, Tom and Jerry, Troy and Roy, Era and Vera and Hazel Mae.

'Tis The Night Before Christmas

SEA HORRORS TOLD BY MEN OF SHIPWRECK

Schooner Slips Into Port With Flag Flying Half Mast

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Dec. 24.—Battered and broken, one of her crew taken from her by boiling sea, the two masted fishing schooner Mary T. Goulart today lay at her dockside while her men talked of horrible hours on an angry Atlantic.

She slid into port yesterday, her flag at half mast and her decks strewn with wreckage. Somewhere out on the broad ocean, about 100 miles off Yarmouth, N.S., she left Frank Silva, 58-year-old seaman.

Captain Lawrence C. Santos, an old timer on the stormy fishing banks, told of a storm "the likes of which" he'd never witnessed before.

Six dories were washed overboard, sails were in tatters, rails were bent, remaining dories smashed and her winches were useless.

Captain Santos, after two weeks on the banks, still had plenty of bait and was persuaded to stay out a little longer that the catch might be swelled and Christmas Day might be a little more abundant. And during the last week out the storm broke.

There were 62,000 pounds of fish in the Goulart's hold today—a small catch and no compensation for the loss of a man and the wrecking of a ship.

PLANE AND 3 ABOARD LOST

ELKO, Nev., Dec. 24—A searching party reported today that three young airplane passengers and their pilot, missing since yesterday afternoon, had all been found dead in the wreckage of the plane on Owyhee canyon, north of here.

ELKO, Nevada, Dec. 24—Three young airplane passengers and a pilot, who vanished on a flight over the winter-lashed mountains north of here, were sought by rescue parties today.

The missing plane, in which Floyd de Long, the pilot, was taking two girls and a boy to their homes at Mountain City, 90 miles north of here, disappeared in blinding snow and fog yesterday.

De Long's passengers were: Donald Stinton, 13, and his sister, June, 16, children of a Mountain City cattle man, and Ruth Womack, 13, daughter of a Mountain City resort owner.

The rescue parties, organized here and at Mountain City, faced a bitter task against frozen drifts and icy winds.

BATS MENACE ISLAND STOCK

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Dec. 24. — Research expected to save Trinidad's cattle from the scourge of paralytic rabies, caused by blood-sucking bats, is being carried on by Professor W. Urich for the government.

Some months ago hundreds of animals were afflicted, and Dr. K. S. Wise, surgeon general, said deaths of two humans within the last year could be traced to the condition of the cattle. He added that the people should be thankful there had not been more deaths in view of the large number of animals afflicted.

The vampire is the only one of 32 varieties of bats in Trinidad that takes warm blood from animals, Prof. Arich has found.

Santa Claus is going to get a bit of a surprise when he drops down the chimney of the Dionne hospital at Callander, Ontario. There he will be confronted by the five little Dionne sisters, Marie, Emilie, Yvonne, Cecile and Annette. (They are not named in order shown. Perhaps you can identify them!) Back to his beloved babies is Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe, who plays Santa Claus on this night before Christmas. The little hospital is charmingly decorated in keeping with the first Christmas of the famous quintuplets.

Dionne Mother Happy In Her Humble Home Preparing For Christmas

CALLANDER, Ont., Dec. 24.—Elvire Dionne, 25-year-old mother of the famous quintuplets, busied herself around the kitchen of her northern Ontario farm home Sunday, happier than she has been since her little daughters were moved away from her home last September.

Christmas pudding, cake, cookies and all the other things that add the trimmings to Yuletide dinner took form in the humble home, warm from the heat of a blazing wood stove although the thermometer outdoors was 10 below zero. Since her famous daughters were moved to their own hospital the typical French-Canadian mother has had little to do with their care.

While the family are eating a turkey in the next room the youngsters will blissfully suck their bottles. Unaware of the delight the bird is giving their mother, father and five brothers and sisters.

Not Forgotten Fund Donations Welcomed by Returned Soldiers

Previously acknowledged	**$623.76**
In memory of 62476	**1.00**
G. Audley	**1.00**
L. B. Griffiths	**1.00**
National Trust Company	**7.25**
Staff of the Commercial Life Assurance Co. of Canada	**6.00**
Grateful	**.50**
Johnnie Bull	**2.00**
Marie Higgins	**1.00**
Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. Lavoy Branch No. 109, Lavoy, Alta.	**10.00**
A Friend	**1.00**
Peter Pan	**.50**
A Friend	**.25**
Iris Hales, Ponoka, Alta.	**1.00**
Betty Jackson	**.25**
Ella McLennan	**.50**
J. A. D.	**1.00**
Widow and Children of (Late) Private No. 216731	**.50**
Mrs. Thornton	**1.00**
The Gang	**1.00**
And Old 18 Pounder Gunner	**1.00**
From One of the Boys, 9939 80 Avenue	**1.00**
A Friend from Bonnie Doon	**1.00**
J. Vereker, Imperial Bank of Canada	**3.00**
A. J. I. H., Coronado, Alta.	**2.00**
Total	**$667.51**

Now, dear Bulletin readers, please remember this. Tomorrow is Christmas Day when all the world makes merry. If you want to donate to the 'Not Forgotten Fund" and do your bit toward providing a Merry Christmas for those former soldiers of the Canadian and Allied Armies, then, dear friend, bestir yourself and hurry the donation in today, so that it will serveits purpose.

The "Not Forgotten Fund" each year since the war, has served as the medium by which the thoughtful residents had remembered the war-shattered war veterans still suffering in hospital as a result of wounds and other disabilities. It is a channel through which those remembering can show their appreciation of services rendered.

Today the fund will be still open to receive your donation. The total is below last year. But there is ample time today to bring it up.

Members of the War Widows Association have contacted the men in the Military Ward of the University hospital—who will be the beneficiaries of the fund—to determine their desires. Insofar as the Fund permits, they will receive what they desire. But upon you, dear readers, to a large extent depends whether they will have their requests to Santa Claus granted.

These boys have spent weary years on their hospital cots. They will spend more time, facing more operations and seemingly interminable medical treatment.

You can alleviate their pain and anguish by contributing to the "Not Forgotten Fund" and enabling them to share with the outside world the Yuletide season.

Send in your donation today and it will be acknowledged in these columns.

GIRL MURDERER IS SAVED FROM GUILLOTINE AXE

Life Imprisonment For Slayer of Father—Mother Makes Appeal

PARIS, Dec. 24—President Albert Lebrun commuted to life imprisonment today the sentence to the guillotine of Violette Noziere, 19-year-old convicted slayer of her father, as a result of her mother's appeal for clemency.

Testimony at the trial was to the effect that Violette had poisoned her father and attempted to dispose of her mother in the same fashion in order to secure an inheritance.

In the first stages of the trial Mme. Noziere was one of the most bitter witnesses against her daughter, but later she relented and they were reconciled.

Violette based her defense on charges that her father had mistreated her from childhood and forced her to live a life of shame. She was a familiar figure in the gay life of the Montparnasse section of Paris.

Air Mail Lands Ahead Of Time

LONDON, Dec. 24—The first regular air mail service from Australia reached Croydon airport today three minutes ahead of the 12-day schedule for the 12,000-mile flight, the longest regular air route in the world.

MERCURY DIPS TO 20 BELOW

Accompanied by a 12-miles-an-hour nor'wester the Weather Man swooped down on this city over the week-end with 20 below zero weather and sent the good citizens into a hurried retreat to their igloos, there to wait the arrival of balmier breezes.

By superhuman efforts someone got the wind down to two miles an hour and although the mercury remained at 20 below, the good citizens came out again under the delusion spring had arrived and because it was 54 below at Mayo and 45 below at Peace River.

The highest point the mercury touched over the week-end was 13 below, and the lowest was 20, which was reached at various times, the most recent being 4 a.m., 8 a.m., and 9 a.m. today.

Just over one-quarter of an inch of snow fell in the early hours of today.

The wind remained low and indications were the mercury would remain in the dungeon.

PICCARD WILL SOAR FOR RUSS

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 24.—Russia is preparing for monthly stratospheric flights during 1935 at a 60,000-foot altitude, Prof. Prokovieff said today during a meeting with Prof. August Piccard and Max Cosyns, electrical engineer associated with Piccard.

Hay Duty Free

WASHINGTON, Dec 24—Hay may now be imported duty-free from Canada for use in the drought areas of the United States,

Xavier Saucier Dies

CALGARY, Dec. 24.—Xavier Saucier, former inspector of the customs branch here, died this morning. He retired some years ago.

EXPECTED CLASH ENDS CHRISTMAS LEAVES IN ARMY

BERLIN, Dec. 24. — Fears of a new revolt in the ranks of the storm troops or a clash between the Reichswehr and the Hitler special blackshirt guards (Schutz-Staffel) were seen today as motivating cancellation of Christmas leaves in the German army. This step came on the heels of widespread arrests.

Deny Rumors Of Attack On Stations

SAARBRUECKEN, Saar Basin Territory, Dec. 24—Rumors that an attempt had been made to wreck a train bringing Italian troops here to form part of the international army to supervise the Jan. 13 plebiscite were denied today by Italian officers and officials of the League of Nations governing commission.

Another rumor said that the Italians were dissatisfied with their lodgings and had threatened to leave the Saar unless better ones were provided, but members of the general staff called this "nonsense."

Cheers and tears greeted the first group of expatriates from North and South America, travelling on free tickets, to arrive here, to vote in the plebiscite. Some 25,000 persons stood for three hours here yesterday awaiting the train bearing the 450 Nazi sympathizers.

Approximately 55,000 former residents of the Saar, it is estimated, will vote in the plebiscite, by which the territory will decide whether to return to Germany, unite with France or remain under the League of Nations.

MISOGAMISTS "CELL-BIRDS" AT YULETIDE

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Fifty-six misogamists in Allimony Row of the Cook County jail Sunday had their Yule tidings from the judge, and for 46 it was very un-Christmasy news indeed.

Ten of the I.O.U. fraternity, some of whom "pledged" the cellblock when the bloom of August was still on the posies in Lincoln Park, will step out into the December snowbanks. They won Christmas freedom on promises to shave down their respective arrearages to "the little woman."

But the hapless 46 will spend the day of holly and mistletoe chinning themselves on the bars and hoping their ex-wives' Christmas turkeys are very tough birds. They are the skeptics who think Santa Claus is really a woman with a warped viewpoint.

PERRY AGAIN BEATEN BADLY

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Dec. 24.—The disastrous invasion of Australia by Fred Perry of England, ranked as the world's leading tennis player, continued today when he was beaten by Christian Boussus of France 6-4, 6-2, 6-3.

Play was in a three-nation match between British, French and Australian players. Three Australians have defeated Perry in less than a month.

NEEDY GIVEN FOOD BY KING

LONDON, Dec. 24.—His Majesty observed what has become an annual custom when 700 of the poorest men and women in Whitechapel district were his guests at a Christmas tea party in Whitechapel Sunday. The King inaugurated the custom when he was still Prince of Wales and has continued it every year since.

Aged Woman Has Longevity Plan

TRURO, N.S., Dec. 24 — "The young people of today are living a little foolishly", was the most censorious pronouncement on the rising generation that Mrs. George J Kennedy, native of Stewiacke, N.S., would make when interviewed by the press on her ninety fourth birthday. The aged lady gave as her recipe for a long life, "work hard, eat and drink in moderation, early to bed and early to rise." She is opposed to excessive drinking and excessive smoking.

POPE WARNS SPREADING OF WAR CLAMOR

World Now Urged to Work and Pray For Peace

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VATICAN CITY, Dec. 24.—Pope Pius warned that "the clamor of war spread ever farther" and urged the world to pray and work for peace in his Christmas address today to the "Curia" of Cardinals.

"We see a constant increase in warlike arms," he said. "This is a distracting element in which the spirit seems to have no part. We are on the eve of a day when the heavens resound with the hymns of angels calling for peace on earth.

"Never as a chant had more reason for being than today.

"We wish for peace. We bless peace. But if, in the future, there be some people possessed of a homicidal mania who wish to prepare for war, we shall have another prayer.

"This prayer will be: 'Destroy, oh Lord, those who wish war.'

"But we prefer our first prayer."

His Holiness concluded by repeating with passionate emphasis the word:

"Peace: Peace: Peace."

The voice of war, said the Pontiff, is added to "all the discomfort, pain and real evil of the present crisis which is felt in all directions in private and public life."

He urged the world to invoke the comforts of the Virgin Mary in these troubles. Particularly in the moment when the famous shrine at Loreto has been taken over by the Vatican under its treaty of conciliation with Italy.

The Pope said he rejoiced over

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JAPANESE DENY TROUBLE BREWS

TOKYO, Dec. 24.—Japanese officials said today there was no likelihood of serious trouble over a reported Soviet invasion of the remote Tungning district of Manchukuo.

Both the war office and the foreign office here lacked official details of the incident. Soviet troops from Siberia were said to have encamped in Manchukuoan territory but the official attitude here was not to take the matter seriously.

KING ZOG NOW FACING REVOLT

ATHENS, Greece, Dec. 24.—The newspaper Kathimerina said today travellers from Albania reported a revolt was under way against the government headed by King Zog and that 2,000 men were marching on Tirana, Albania's capital.

Martial law was said to have been declared with a partial mobilization of the nation's military forces ordered.

Today was the 10th anniversary of Zog's ascension to the throne and a national celebration had been planned by the little Adriatic kingdom.

Nazis Entertain 12,000 Needy Kids

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—The Nazi party here entertained 12,000 needy children at a special Christmas "show" yesterday. Paul Goebbels, minister of propaganda, visited the children, gathered from all Berlin, in the Moabit quarter. Long tables laden with gifts lined the streets, which were flanked with Christmas trees.

Run Down, Killed

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Dec. 24. — John Mason, 68, trimmed a Christmas tree last night and walked across the street to look back at it lighted in the window. He was run down by a bus and killed.

TAMPERING WITH HAUPTMANN JURY IS CHARGED

EVERY TALESMAN IN PANEL OF 150 GETS PROPAGANDA

Betty Gow, Aboard Aquitania, Arriving Tuesday, Is Closely Guarded, Says Relative.

FLEMINGTON, N.J., Dec., 24.—The prosecution in the case of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, Lindbergh kidnap-slaying suspect, charged Sunday "a deliberate and malicious effort has been made to tamper with the jury panel in Hauptmann's behalf."

In its statement the prosecution declared the alleged effort to tamper with the panel was made by "some unknown source, known as 'The Confidential News Syndicate, Chicago.' Evidently from this office," the statement continued, "a booklet has been circulated through the U.S. mail to every juror on the panel of 150.

Copyrighted by "Mary Belle Spencer" in 1933, the booklet appears to be an imaginative court record of the trial of one John Doe on a charge of kidnapping an infant. He is eventually acquitted by the jury.

Betty Gow Is Close-Guarded

GREENOCK, Scotland, Dec. 24.—A relative of Betty Gow, former nurse of the slain Lindbergh baby, said Sunday she was enroute to the United States under close guard because "to be quite frank, we fear something may happen to her." To testify in the case against Bruno Hauptmann.

This relative, who would not allow his name to be used, said she was on the Aquitania, due to arrive in New York Tuesday.

MILLIONAIRE HITS ARTIST'S $2,800 SUIT

E. F. McDonald, Junior, Sportsman, Claims Guest Really Owes $1,650

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—No longer will the guests of Commander Eugene F. McDonald Jr., millionaire sportsman and yachtsman, be welcomed aboard his palatial yacht, Mizpah, unless they bring their own art work and piccolos, he declared in replying to the $2,800 suit recently brought by the artist, McLelland Barclay of New York.

McDonald in his reply asserts that Barclay actually owes him $1,650, instead of $2,800 being due the artist.

McDonald says:

"As a matter of insurance against recurrences of such suits perhaps in the future I should have a steward stand at the head of a gangway and require each of my guests as they come aboard to sign a general release so that if while on board they draw any pictures, make any photographs, play the piano, piccolo, the accordion, etc., they will not send me bills for the entertainment."

ASKS REFUND

McDonald says that Barclay is suing him for pictures the artist drew while aboard ship as a guest and at a time Barclay was using the yacht as a refuge, as he had no home at the time, according to McDonald. The latter charges that the artist's pastime is now the basis of a suit for costs of pictures which McDonald says he never ordered or requested.

Barclay drew unsolicited pictures of members of the crew and guests aboard the Mizpah, McDonald admits in his answer. McDonald says he accepted a charcoal drawing on one occasion, which he did not want, but which he took, as he "did not desire to hurt the feelings" of the artist.

McDonald asks that Barclay be compelled to refund cash paid for previous orders which were not delivered.

Snowdrifts Hold Farmers At Home

DRUMHELLER, Dec. 24—If Santa Claus fails to reach many youngsters in rural areas surrounding Drumheller on Christmas day, parents can lay the blame on the weatherman who, starting Saturday, sent high winds to pile up snowdrifts, followed by blizzard conditions this morning, thus making it impossible for farmers to reach Drumheller for Christmas shopping. Added to the adverse weather conditions and a sharp drop in temperatures to about 20 below early today. Local storekeepers state that Christmas business reached a new low this year, due to lack of coal orders in the valley.

Woman Devoured By Desert Coyotes

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 24.—Partly devoured by hunger-crazed coyotes, the body of Mrs. Guadalupe Rotenhousler, 75, was found on the desert near here. The ravenous animals, driven out of the mountains by lack of food, apparently had attacked the aged woman as she was walking through a desoluate mesquite region.

Prairie Weather

	High y't'd'y	Low t'd'y	Rain past 24-h	Weather
Winnipeg	6	-13	.04	snow
Brandon	10	-6	—	fair
Regina	13	-19	.10	cloudy
Moose Jaw	20	-18	.06	fair
Saskatoon	12	-22	.04	fair
Prince Albert	-8	26	.22	clear
Battleford	-6	-34	—	cloudy
Swift Current	20	-16	.03	fair
Medicine Hat	30	-12	.12	cloudy
Lethbridge	30	-12	—	snow
Calgary	-6	-16	.02	cloudy
Edmonton	-12	-20	.18	snow

Alberta and Saskatchewan—Fresh to strong north easterly winds. Partly cloudy and decidedly cold today and Tuesday with some local snowflurries or snowfalls chiefly in southern districts.

Manitoba—Fresh northerly winds mostly fair and decidedly cold tonight and Tuesday.

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NORTHERN WEATHER

Hudson Hope, clear, calm	-40
Fort St. John, clear, W. breeze	-38
Dawson Creek, clear, calm	-38
Pouce Coupe, clear, calm	-36
Beaverlodge, clear, calm	-38
Spirit River, clear, calm	-30
Grande Prairie, clear, calm	-36
Fairview, clear, N. wind	-33
Peace River, clear, calm	-45
Fort Vermilion, cloudy, calm	-42
Keg River, clear, calm	-36
Notikewin, clear, calm	-32
Falher, clear, calm	-35
Grouard, clear, calm	-46
Slave Lake, clear, calm	-24
Mirror Landing, cloudy, calm	-20
Athabasca, cloudy, S.W. breeze	-24
Fort McMurray, clear, calm	-40
House River, foggy N.E. wind	-40
Pelican, clear, N. breeze	-35
Calling River, cloudy, calm	-20

HOME IS LUCKY WITH BEQUESTS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.—The Old Folks' Home at Middlechurch, just outside the northern city limits, was acquired from the Dominion government for $4,000—a sum of money derived from the sale of the McDermot avenue house, and from donations.

"We have always been lucky in bequests," said Mrs. Charles Little, a great worker for the interests of the inmates. "An old-time grocer, T. W. Smith, left us $10,000 and all his furniture and clothing. Churches in those days had fewer calls made upon them than today, and they all gave us donations. Yes, we have been indeed lucky. And consequently we have never had debts," Mrs. Little recalled, with maternal pride.

Mrs. Little points to the early days of Winnipeg, when there were no old people. This was a young man's land. But in 1906 aged folk without home or means of support were found by Mrs. Margaret Scott. The first old man encountered provided a typical case. He was too old to care for himself, but he feared that being cared for by others would mean parting with the last of his personal possessions. This was a grimy old wooden clock. The women—Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Little, and others—did not risk breaking an old man's heart, and the beloved timepiece went with him. That spirit has permeated the Middlechurch Old Folk's Home ever since.

Another early institution in which Mrs. Little played a part was the Canadian Women's Hostel. "People were flocking out to the new country; never a train came but there were Old Country families aboard. The story went on, of course, that husbands were as easily picked up as the proverbial gold bricks. So girls came out here to find husbands. And plenty found them!"

Fake Ad Brings 300 For One Job

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 24—State officials were investigating insertion in a Minneapolis newspaper of an advertisement which brought 300 women to the Capitol seeking a position as telephone operator. There was no vacancy. J. L. Peterson, Capitol custodian, in whose name the ad was printed, said it was a "fake."

Round Globe In 114 Hours His New Aim

SEATTLE, Dec. 24.—Circumnavigation of the world by air in 114 hours is the latest ambition of Clyde Pangborn, veteran of the long-distance sky lanes, who arrived here Sunday from Los Angeles to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother. The proposed non-stop flight, which Pangborn hopes to start about July 1 from San Diego, calls for refuelling in the air at New York, Moscow and Chinta, Siberia.

FIRE DESTROYS FARM RESIDENCE

WETASKIWIN, Alta., Dec. 24.—The farm home of Henry Bourghardt, nine miles west of here, was completely destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon. As the fire started in the upper portion of the dwelling it was possible to save a piano and radio. The near-by pump house and windmill were also destroyed. The home was established 35 years ago.

The tortoise-shell of commerce is furnished by the hawksbill turtle, not the tortoise. The hawksbill is found in the west Indies and the Gulf of Mexico.

BENNETT USES WOMAN'S NAME IN ESCAPE RUSE

Actor-Father of Film Stars Sails From U.S. to Dodge Alimony

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—Dodging alimony process servers by sailing tourist class under a woman's name, Richard Bennett, once one of the highest paid actors in the United States, has slipped out of the country on the French liner Champlain.

The father of Barbara, Joan and Constance Bennett, discovered five minutes before the boat left the dock, talked freely of the reasons driving him to make a flight incognito from the process servers who want to get him back to California to answer the demands of his second wife, Aimee Raisch, for $3,000 a month alimony and $2,000 counsel fees. He said:

"I hadn't a chance in the world of paying any such sums of money. I've passed the zenith of my career as an actor. There was nothing for me to do but to get away before they handed me a subpoena. I'm paying her $100 a month now and that's all I can pay.

RAN OUT, HE SAYS

"Anyway, she ran out on me after charging I had beaten and attempted to shoot her, and had tried to stab her with a nail file. Of course I didn't do any of those things. I love women and wouldn't think of hurting one."

Bennett, who is now sixty-four years of age, came to New York City from Europe three weeks ago to visit his daughter, Barbara, wife of Morton Downey. She will soon become a mother.

He is returning to England for a short time and will then visit friends in Portugal and will go from there to Russia to appear in "He Who Gets Slapped." After that he will go with Edwin Carew, the motion picture director, to india to make a talking picture.

Terry-Shaw Letters

LONDON, Dec. 24—Ellen Terry's letters to Bernard Shaw have been presented to the British Museum. Over 300 in all, they are to be bound and preserved in the manuscripts department. It may be several months before the letters—in several volumes—can be examined.

Three Mishaps in U.S. Kill Twelve Injure Fourteen

Two Road Crashes, One Hotel Fire Swell Day's Toll

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 24—Four persons met death and five others were injured when an automobile plowed into the rear of a slow-moving truck near here yesterday.

The dead: Mrs. Clem M. Cunning, 28, Kansas City, Kas.; Nadine Cunning, nine, her daughter; Merle June Cunning, four months, daughter; Mrs. Clayton Stoddard, 46, Seward, Neb.

Bush Crashes Light Auto

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 24—A Westbound bus loaded with travellers hastening "home for Christmas" crashed into a light automobile Sunday, killing four persons and injuring four others.

The victims, all passengers in the car, were: Mike Margo, 24, Central City, Pa.; Mike Dobranski, 18, Ambridge, Pa.; Mary Dobranski, 17, Ambridge, Pa.; Mary Kotys, 18, Ambridge.

Hotel Fire Fatalities

CARSLAND, N.M., Dec. 24—Four persons lost their lives and five others were severely burned in a fire which destroyed a hotel here Sunday.

The dead: Mrs. John Oowen, 24, Portales, N.M., Clyde Owen, her year-old son, and J. B. Morrison, 23, of Woodson, Texas, Felix Miller, 68.

The cause of the fire was not determined.

CAMERA WILL PROBE SECRET OF 'MONSTER'

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—J. E. Williamson, submarine photographer, thinks there is something to these stories about the Loch Ness monster, pride of Scotland's tourist agencies, and he intends to get to the bottom of the matter.

Williamson arrived from Europe on the liner Empress of Britain.

"I am convinced there is truth to the stories about the monster," he said. "I have the testimony of six witnesses who believed they saw it. My belief is it is a giant squid."

Williamson said he intends to take his "photosphere" to Loch Ness and obtain motion pictures of the monster.

Hysterical Men

BOURNEMOUTH, Eng., Sept. 24—It was a belief that only women were hysterical, but hysteria was a nervous ailment of either sex, said Dr. Elizabeth Sloan Chesser, in an address delivered here. Some men in the grip of an anxiety health neurosis, she said, were "fiends of selfishness."

Grain Acreage Down

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Dec. 24.—It is estimated the acreage in New South Wales sown to grains this season represents a decrease of 16.53 per cent from that of 1933.

Striking View Of Rescue In Mid-Atlantic Gale

This remarkable photo, taken in a gale in the mid-Atlantic during the heroic rescue of the sinking British freighter Usworth, shows the lifeboats fighting its way back through heavy seas to the liner Ascania. Fifteen of the Usworth's crew and two members of the Belgian tramp, Jean Jadot, which came to the Usworth's rescue, lost their lives in the tragedy.

Aha! That Triangle Again Hollywood's Latest Romance

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 24.—Hollywood's newest romance took a long step forward the other day when the girl proposed to the boy! She was the six-year-old actress, Shirley Temple. He was the actor, Jimmy Dunn, her co-worker in three pictures. Whether she had grown tired of waiting for him to say something about it, or was prompted by jealousy when she saw another girl, the blonde singer Alice Faye, playfully sitting on his lap on a film set, is not disclosed.

At any rate, when the other girl had gone, she climbed up on his knee, looked at him with solemn blue eyes, and said:

"Jimmy I'll marry you."

Their romance started when he played as her father in "Baby, Take a Bow." Since then their mutual admiration has grown apace.

SHIRLEY TEMPLE

JIMMY DUNN

ALICE FAYE

POTS AND PANS GO ON TRIAL IN SOVIET COURT

Kitchen Utensils "Prosecuted" on Charges Being Inferior Quality

MOSCOW, Dec. 24—A hundred pots, pans, kettles and pitchers of Russian manufacture went on trial here as Moscow staged its second "prosecution" designed to arouse public interest in the drive to improve the quality of Soviet goods.

The first "technical trial" was held last month, Soviet galoshes being dragged before the bar and convicted of being very poor protection against the slush of winter.

Against today's "defendants" appeared a long succession of witnesses who testified that handles drop off Soviet tea kettles, that the enamel melts on the stoves, and that fingers are cut on the rough edges of pots and pans.

THIRTY-NINE CHARGES

But the most serious charge was that the four factories concerned, while managing to turn out excellent goods for export, or for sale in Russia to persons having foreign money, are neglecting the Soviet consumer proper.

Ten engineers and professors sat as judges to hear these complaints. In conclusion they drew up a five-page verdict, setting forth the findings and recommendations for improving these useful but unromantic articles.

A total of thirty-nine specific charges were brought against the "defendants" by the relentless witnesses. Directors of the factories producing the goods on trial were given opportunity to defend their creations after the prosecution had finished.

OTHER TRIALS PENDING

The products under examination were piled high on tables in the courtroom, where the public and judges could scrutinize them with care.

Several other technical trials are in prospect. They are intended to bring home forcibly to Russian factories the shortcomings of their goods as the consumer sees them. They constitute part of the general campaign against what Joseph Stalin, before the seventeenth Communist Party congress, termed "the totally intolerable attitude of industry toward the quality of production."

Provinces To Work Together

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—The provinces of Ontario and Quebec will work together for realization of uniformity in social legislation according to statements issued by Hon. A. W. Roebuck, K.C., attorney general, and minister of labor of Ontario, and Hon. C. J. Arcand, Quebec's minister of labor following a conference held here Saturday.

Bottle Hurled Out Window Kills Man

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 24—Believed to have been injured by a carelessly thrown whisky bottle, an unidentified man, about sixty-five, died in the General Hospital yesterday from a fractured skull.

He was found by Patrolman T. G. Rooney in an alley. Police believe the bottle was thrown from a window in a hotel.

Mine Changes Hands

PERTH, Australia, Dec. 24.—Leases and workings of the Fenian and Ingliston Consols mines, which have yielded 600,000 ounces of gold in 30 years, have been purchased by Sydney interests for about $875,000.

POPE WARNS SPREADING OF WAR CLAMOR

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the success of the Holy Year just past in a moment when the world was disturbed by so many conflicting currents as to suggest that the justice of God might be about to descend upon mankind. He said the Eucharistic congresses at Buenos Aires and Melbourne were matters of consolation and expressed the desire that Eucharistic congresses might develop evermore.

Tonight the Pope will avail himself of an age-old privilege accorded to every parish priest only on Christmas eve. With only a few intimates in attendance he will go to his private chapel at midnight and recite three separate masses in commemoration of the birth of the Savior.

Serve 20 Years On Police Cars

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Just 20 years ago a motor patrol and motor ambulance, the first pieces of apparatus of their type were used by the Montreal police department.

Along with these new machines were enrolled two chauffeurs, one of them a mechanic too. The two men, now Sergeant Detectives Albert Rochon and Damien Longpre, have seen two decades of active police service and are still adding to their fine record.

Bouncing Baby Escapes Again

DENVER, Dec. 24. — Marcella Cohen, eleven, is Denver's "rubber ball' child. She fell 30 feet from a tree she was climbing and "bounced," according to witnesses. Police surgeons found no injuries. Three years ago she was struck by an automobile while playing in the street and was knocked a considerable distance without injury.

Trinidadian In English Movies

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Dec. 24.—A Trinidad dressmaker, Mrs. Gwen Negretti, found that sewing did not pay so she went to London, asked for a job in the studios, and is now rehearsing for a film based on the Edgar Wallace novel, "Sanders of the River."

Mrs. Negretti first went to London to take a special course in the modelling of milady's wear. She returned to her native country to discover that dress paper patterns and the entry of cheaper imported garments from abroad robbed dressmaking of money making possibilities. So she went back to London to study drama.

To Help Abyssinia

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 24.—Five Swedish officers have been invited to go to Abyssinia to join Major General Virgin, who left the post of chief of the Swedish air force to go to Abyssinia as adviser to the government.

Bishop Transferred

ROME, Dec. 24.—The Pope today announced the transfer of James McGuigan, Archbishop of Regina, to the Archdiocese of Toronto.

SLOANE'S DRUG STORE ROBBED DURING NIGHT

Narcotics, Cash, Cigarettes, Candy Loot of Thieves

Five hundred grains of narcotics including the deadly heroin, $23 cash, 1,000 cigarettes and 35 pounds of chocolates were stolen when thieves broke into Sloane's Drug Store, corner of 95 street and 111 avenue, some time after midnight Saturday.

The wood around the lock on the door was cut out, a doctor's scapel being used for the job. The robbers left the scapel lying near the door.

Closing the store at midnight, the employees secured all the doors and left the premises. They noticed a man hanging around in an apparently drunken condition. Police are inclined to believe that the man may have been one of the thieves, under the influence of narcotics.

The drugs were taken from an unlocked door in the dispensary. Looking over the files of photographs in the Bureau of Identification, two of the employees of the store picked out the photo of a convicted drug addict as the man seen loitering around the store shortly before midnight.

Christmas, Fla., Is Busy Place For Postmistress

CHRISTMAS, Fla., Dec. 24.—The pretty little post-mistress of Christmas looked up from her desk where she has been kept busy almost continuously these past few weeks, wiped a begrimed but dainty hand across her forehead and remarked:

"Santa Claus is not the only one who has quite a job at Christmas."

Just about everyone who ever heard there is such a place has sent mail this year to be dispatched with the "Christmas, Fla., Dec. 25, 1934" postmark.

Marriage Follows On Acquittal Heels

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Tony Mancini was married Saturday, just one week after his acquittal of the sensational "trunk murder" of Violet Kaye. The former waiter married Amelia May Wood, an undertaker's daughter, at the Wandsworth registry office.

3 KILLED, 14 HURT IN FAST TRAIN SMASH

Rail Employees Lose Lives When Collision Occurs On Fast Track

DELAWARE, Ohio, Dec. 24.—Speeding in the dead of night with their cars loaded with Christmas holiday passengers and mail, two fast New York Central trains crashed early Sunday killing three railroad employees and injuring 14 persons, including four railroad workers.

Last night the body of one of the dead, Engineer S. V. Springer, 42, of the Midnight Express was still in the wreckage.

The other two dead were James B. Newman, 42, of Cleveland, engineer of the first locomotive of the Midnight Express and J. J. O'Malley of Cleveland, fireman of the second locomotive of that train.

None of the 14 injured was hurt seriously.

"He who has a thousand friends has not a friend to spare."—Omar Khayyam.

The Staff of
McDermid Studios Ltd.
sincerely wish you a
Merry Christmas
May the New Year hold good things for us all.

Extending
Sincere Wishes
FOR A
Merry Christmas
AND A
Happy New Year
TO THE
Citizens of Edmonton
Signed on Behalf of the Corporation of the City of Edmonton
D. MITCHELL, Commissioner
JOSEPH A. CLARKE, Mayor

MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSES

Announcing Reduction In Fees

Effective January 1, 1935, Reduced Fees for the lower-priced passenger cars will be charged as follows:

Not exceeding 100 inches Wheel Base	$10.00
Exceeding 100 up to 105 inches Wheel Base	12.50
Exceeding 105 up to 110 inches Wheel Base	15.00
Exceeding 110 up to 115 inches Wheel Base	20.00

The fee on all cars exceeding 115-inch wheel base will be the same as in former years. A reduction of $1 will also be made in the fees for models made eight years previous to January 1st of the current license year, on those cars with wheel base of 120 inches or less.

All Fees Due and Payable January 1st, 1935

Those operating cars after January 15th, 1935, without licenses, will be liable to prosecution.

GOVERNMENT OF ALBERTA
HON. R. G. REID, Provincial Secretary.
E. TROWBRIDGE, Deputy Prov. Secretary

BARLEY TODAY WORTH MORE THAN FINEST WHEAT

WET, YET DRY U.S. ADDS PARADOX TO GRAIN PROSPERITY

Prohibition Repeal, Drouth Create Price Markets for Former Farmers' Fuel.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.—End of prohibition in the United States has brought a measure of prosperity to farmers of Saskatchewan and Alberta, and resulted in a paradox previously almost unknown in the grain trade. Barley today is worth more than Canada's finest wheat.

Two years ago barley was cheaper than fuel. It was used as such in countless farm homes in the west. Farmers, too poor to buy coal or wood, fed their almost worthless barley into stoves to heat their homes. For all the farmer received, it was not worth hauling it to elevators.

NEW DAYS, NEW WAYS

The picture has changed. Barley prices have risen and farmers are relying upon it more than upon wheat to pull them out of the depression. Thirsty Americans have created a demand for barley and Canada in the five months of the current crop season has exported more than in the entire crop year of 1932-33.

On Dec. 22, 1932, the best feed barley, 3 C.W., brought only 13 cents per bushel, net, to the farmer, based on an average freight rate of 10 cents per bushel. Six-Row barley, the best malting grade, netted him only 16½ cents. These prices were less than the cost of production.

FEED BARLEY AT 41½ CENTS

Feed barley sold over the weekend at 41½ cents a bushel and the malting variety at 11 cents. The price of No. 1 Northern wheat, second only to No. 1 hard wheat in quality, was 58½ cents, based on an average freight rate for wheat of 13.2 cents per bushel.

Due to drought, the United States had not enough barley for its needs and was forced to import from Canada. In the 1932-33 crop year Canada's total exports of barley were 5,391,000 bushels. So far this season more than 6,000,000 bushels have been shipped to the United States alone.

MALTING NEED

With barley an indispensable ingredient in the manufacture of beer, the rise in prices is attributed directly to the end of prohibition in the United States. Manitoba farmers have been the chief beneficiaries of the higher values, most of Canada's barley being raised in this province.

The price of "screenings," sweepings of all grains mixed together and left over in the grain elevators, also has advanced. Two years ago elevators gave screenings away for the asking, to be used as fuel. A railway roundhouse at Fort William was heated by screenings. Today they were worth $13.00 per ton.

ALL PISTOLS MUST BE ON POLICE PAPER

Fine, Jail, If Unregistered After January 1, Is Warning

OTTAWA, Dec. 24—A fine not more than $50 or imprisonment not exceeding 30 days, or both, will be the penalty exacted from those luckless persons caught with unregistered revolvers or pistols on and after Jan. 1, next.

Proclamation of an amendment to the criminal code which fixes these penalties, sets the date when registration becomes compulsory as New Year's Day.

CANNOT CARRY

In a statement from the Justice Department it is set forth that registration of pistols or revolvers is in no wise authority for persons to carry these weapons on their persons. Where permits are required by the owners of pistols and revolvers these must be obtained in addition to the registration required.

Registration of pistols and revolvers will be performed in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island by the officer commanding the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and such officers as are appointed by him throughout each of these provinces, and in the cities and large towns by the chief constable, it is announced.

B.C. SEPARATE.

In British Columbia registration will be performed by the commissioner of the Provincial Police and officers of that force appointed by him and also by Chief constables of cities and large towns.

In the Northwest Territories and the Yukon the officers commanding the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and such other officers of the force as are stationed in the Territories and members of the force in charge of detachments, will handle registration.

SURVIVORS OF POLAR PARTY WILL MEET

Sole survivors of a party of 10 comprising the first British naval expedition into South Pole territory and separated for 33 years, Lt.-Commander C. L. Bernaechi, retired British naval officer, and C. Blackwall-Evans, rancher, will hold a reunion on the Vermilion station platform on Wednesday morning next as the former passes west toward Vancouver. Just 33 years ago they were on a 22-months' stay in a little hut in the South Pole region. They have not seen each other since.

Lt.-Com. Bernaechi was meteorologist during Commander Robert F. Scott's trips and Blackwall-Evans was a mere youth when he went.

These two veterans of exploration point out that many who engaged in this hazardous undertaking succumbed to heart trouble.

There was no radio in those days to search for lost men. "If we were lost we stayed lost until someone felt it was time to hunt for us," Lt.-Com. Bernacchi recently said.

It is bound to be a gala day at Vermilion when these two recall their former days together.

Man Says Fish Towed Boat For One Hour

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Dec. 24.—First prize for the best "fish story" of the season should go to Frank Aikens, 47, a Sidney farmer.

Aikens reports that a thirty-eight-pound muskalonge, which he hooked in the Moira river, towed him and his motorboat for more than an hour and then smacked him on the chin with its tail when he tried to lift it into the boat.

"It was the worst battle wih a fish that I ever have experienced. It sure packed a mean wallop," he said, pointing to his swollen face. "Just as I was pulling it into the boat it swished around and caught me on the chin with its tail."

The fish was the largest catch reported here this year.

Police Seek Man Held In Their Jail

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 24.—Frank G. McCaughan, cab driver, today had the laugh on the police, and a good one.

Late yesterday, McCaughan was reported missing. Police broadcast his description over the station radio.

They found him—in their jail. He was serving out a $2 fine for overparking.

Quints In Style These Doll Days

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Some Canadian children who get one doll for Christmas, this year will get five all because Mrs. Oliva Dionne of Callander, Ont., on May 28 last presented the world with five little girls.

Quintuplet dolls, some large, some small, some in bassinettes, some wrapped in blankets and some just made of rubber have appeared in department store toy departments. Heads of the departments, however, say they have not sold very well.

There are two reasons, they believe. One is that five dolls cost a lot more than one; the other that many children young enough to play with dolls don't understand much about quintuplets.

No Smoking In Elevator Civic Block

Complaints about smoking in the Civic Block elevator have resulted in an edict by Mayor Joseph Clarke that there must be no smoking in the lift.

"Smoking causes discomfort to many, particularly when it is done in the elevator and I am asking the general public, as well as civic employees, to refrain from this habit while using the lift," declared the mayor, adding that the use of "cheap and vile" tobacco was one of the reasons for his new order.

A notice to this effect will be placed in the lift.

FINANCE BODY ANGLING FOR MILLAGE CUT

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penditures for 1935 be cut by (1) the capitalization of civic relief costs; and (2) the imposition of an education tax. No definite action was taken on these proposals by the committee.

Submitting a tentative interim budget for next year at Saturday's meeting, commissioners showed that expenditures for 1935 would be approximately $4,550,000, which total was balanced by estimated revenue of $1,580,000 from various services and taxes plus a general municipal tax levy of $3,000,000.

An approximate summary of estimated revenue and expenditure for 1935 prepared by City Comptroller John Hodgson differed slightly from the commissioners' figures, the comptrolled estimating that expenditures next year would total $4,585,000, with revenue from licenses and taxes of $1,572,850 and a general tax levy of $3,012,150 balancing this total.

COMMISSION PROPOSALS

Setting out methods by which 1935 expenses could be cut, commissioners listed the following proposals:

1. Reduction in salaries and wages. This at present is receiving the attention of the committee authorized by council.

2. Capitalization of direct relief to the extent, if necessary, of the full amount involved. "Under more normal conditions this would be a practice to be deprecated but under existing conditions comes within the purview of means to be adopted in securing relief from present taxation of real property," commissioners state.

3. Reduction in the estimates for education. Requisition of the public school board for 1934 was $1,290,000 and was restricted by council to $1,250,000; the separate school board's requisition was $155.365.

4. Reduction in sinking fund payments. The reduction in the levy by this method would be $189.000.

5. Increase in utility rates. From time to time it has been suggested that the city's rate schedule for light, water and telephone services might be revised very slightly upwards with a view to increasing the surplus from the utilities.

KEEP CREDIT GOOD

Addressing the committee, Mr. Duggan emphasized the fact that council should "do nothing to impair the credit position of the city." He said eastern bond houses were watching Edmonton's financial moves closely.

Canada, he declared, had arrived at the lowest interest rates in its history. There had been no demand for investment securities of any amount until the middle of this year. "We are now on the verge of yet cheaper money for municipal financing. But I would like to emphasize strongly the desirability of maintaining a high standard of credit," said Mr. Duggan.

"The internal financial position of the city is regarded as being very hight. As a matter of fact, if Edmonton were situated in the middle of Ontario it would be graded No. 1 among the municipalities of Ontario as far as its financial status is concerned," Mr. Duggan stated.

The parliamentarian then presented his two proposals which he believed would lead to a lower mill rate. Edmonton, he said, was justified in capitalizing every cent of its relief costs "as it was never intended that property-holders should take over the full cost of relief."

BOND DEALERS WATCHING

His second submission was the imposition of an education tax. Speaking to this suggestion, Mr. Duggan declared the cost of education should not be borne solely by the property-holder. It was a state obligation, and the city would be justified in appealing to the province for an increase in the contribution for this purpose. "But till this is done cities would be justified in imposing an education tax, or setting a maximum mill rate for educational purposes," he said.

Telling the committee indications were that eastern securities were stronger than those of the western provinces, Mr. Duggan said: "Bond dealers of Canada are watching our situation with the idea of floating some of our bonds as soon as the mill rate is set."

Commenting on the question of investments, Ald Jas. East averred: "Investors are not confident they can make a profit even with money at a low rate."

Would the Dominion government assist the cities by passing legislation permitting a refunding scheme "at the low rates the Dominion is able to get?" asked Ald. J. W. Findlay.

CITIZENS PAY

Mr. Duggan: "There has been some talk of the federal government getting behind the western municipalities on a gigantic refunding scheme. There is also the feeling that municipalities can do this under their own steam. But the one thing certain is that refunding must be done at low interest rates."

Mayor Clarke reminded the committee that no matter what additional taxes were imposed the money came from but one source—the pockets of the citizens. "I don't think we can get relief through an education tax this year. The senior governments would require another two sessions to decide this issue, and that means another two years."

It was the opinion of Mr. Duggan that if the western municipalities got solidly behind the move for lower interest rates considerable progress could be made in this direction.

Commissioner David Mitchell: Assurance can be given that there will be a substantial reduction in the 1935 tax rate."

Ald R. E. Foote: "It would be a nice Christmas box for the citizens if we reduced the mill rate by nine mills, setting it at 55. I believe we should work toward this objective."

AVOID DEFICIT

Chairman J. W. Fry and Ald. J. W. Findlay were firm in their contention the mill rate should be set at a figure that the city would be able to maintain. They did not think it would be wise financing for council to set a rate which would result in a deficit.

Opposing the plan to capitalize relief, the mayor said: "This is only putting the burden on future generations. Deferring of sinking fund payments would be a better plan, as the fund has plenty of money now."

Asked about the direct relief situation, H. F. McKee, manager of the special relief department, declared there was little hope for lower relief costs this year.

Ald. Bellamy's motion was then put to the committee and carried.

Henderson and Kinnaird were named city auditors for 1935 by the committee. This recommendation will go to council.

Toronto 'Phoetist' Says

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Spells 'Scissors' 596,000 Ways—The Cut-Up!

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English Is All 'Phooey'

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Phoentically speaking "scissors" can be spelled in more than 596,000 different ways according to a Toronto phoetist, Ernest B. Roberts, who has spent 19 years perfecting a spelling reform.

A "loose system" like English which permits such levity in spelling "scissors" is scorned by Roberts.

He used the word as an example in advocating his "spel-rid-ryt" system which he believes should be adopted in favor of the present. "Spel-rid-ryt" means spell, read, write in the Roberts' modernized language.

"There's nothing sillier than our English spelling," he asserted. "Over 20,000 of our everyday newspaper words are hard to spell by the systemless system our children have to grind through. All those whose mother tongue is English are handicapped but children who speak Spanish, Swedish, German, Italian, Dutch, or within the British Empire, Welsh and Afrikaan, are not."

Here's Roberts' paragraph minus accent marks: "Y am glad tw sei eni wun can now, by a simpl sistem and a litl gwd-wil, spel and ryt foneticall, or by sownd, evri wurd in ow ecstensiv vocabilwluri. It wil seiv valiwabl tym and vast efurt."

Translated it read: "I am glad to see any one can now, by a simple system and a little good will, spell and write phonetically, or by sound, every word in our extensive vocabulary. It will save valuable time and vast effort."

Actress Gravely Ill

Famous British actress, and said to be engaged to marry Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., Gertrude Lawrence is in hospital in London in a serious condition. Miss Lawrence has been under treatment for weeks, it is understood, for severe mastoid ailment. Doctors report she was near death on three occasions. Fairbanks, meanwhile, has been practically living at the hospital.

Russian Troops On Manchu Soil, Escape Cut-Off

Soviet Urges They Be Allowed To Retire With Their Arms

TOKYO, Dec. 24—Rengo (Japanese) News Agency dispatches from Harbin Sunday said Soviet authorities were seeking to avert bloodshed after Soviet infantry troops invaded Manchoukuo from Siberia.

The troops, asserted to have crossed the border near Tungning, 50 miles south of Suifenho, were surrounded by Manchoukuan troops and their communications cut "in an effort to check their further military activities," the Rengo report said.

The dispatches said Soviet authorities had asked Manchoukuo to allow the Russian soldiers to retire with their arms, and proposed an amicable settlement of the affair. The number of troops was not indicated.

Jap, Manchurian Taken As Spies

KHABAROVSK, U.S.S.R., Dec. 24.—Lieut. Saidini of the Japanese army and a Manchurian sergeant were arrested today at Verknenikolskoye on the Ussuri river, while taking photographs. Both were turned over to the Soviet border guard for investigation.

A Soviet statement said topographical maps were found in the lieutenant's field bag.

Saidini said he entered Soviet territory looking for a lost Japanese boy.

GERRY IS TOO LUCKY FOR L. D. TAYLOR

VANCOUVER, Dec. 24.—Mayor Louis D. Taylor, recently defeated by Mayor-elect G. G. McGeer in the civic election here, is beginning to think his opponent is too lucky. McGeer won two prizes in a Christmas raffle. And the lucky tickets, each drawn separately, were taken out of a hat by Mayor Taylor himself.

Girdles World To Trace Dawn In Birds' Song

SOUTH SHIELDS, Eng., Dec. 24.—Noble Rollin, who gave up an engineering career to devote his time to the study of birds and is now well known in Great Britain for his observations of the dawn chorus of birds, is planning an observation of the dawn song round the world. Hhe proposes shortly to circle the globe in order to establish a chain of watchers who will co-operate with him and make simultaneous observations.

Rollin's headquarters are at the Bird Research Station at Glanton, Northumberland, at the foot of the Cheviot Hills, but when interviewed by The Manchester Guardian he was in his 30-foot motor-boat "Watchers' Link," now lying at Tyne Dock and in which he intends to make his preliminary travels. By his world tour he hopes to establish by personal contact watchers in all parts in readiness for the great experiment of tracing the dawn chorus of birds round the world. Last summer Mr. Rollin had 200 watchers co-operating with him in tracing the wave or song as it passed over Britain.

"During my trip I shall specialise in the observation of gulls," said Mr. Rollin, "and in the boat I have a specially arranged observation post with glass screens from which I shall be able to watch and photograph the birds. I propose to start my world tour as soon as possible, and I will probably travel in this boat to the continent. I do not expect to make the whole of my trip in it, but I may have it shipped across the Atlantic and resume my journey on the other side. It is important that I must be able to continue to compile my records just as if I were at home."

Pronouncing Dionne

TORONTO, Dec. 24—Many people are having trouble pronouncing the name of the famous quintuplets family. "Di-on-nay" is one way it is mishandled. It should be pronounced as if saying the last two syllabels of "melodeon."

CITY TEEMS WITH SHOPPERS ON LAST LAP

Last Hour Preparations Today For Yuletide Observance

Climaxing one of the busiest, most encouraging and most interesting post-war shopping seasons, residents of this city on Mondaay went "over the top" toward their final objective of completing all preparations for tomorrow, Dec. 25—Christmas Day.

Shoppers were up and about early to clear their agendas and to enable them to spend Christmas Eve at home. Merchants reported a heavy volume of business and large crowds were seen in merchantile houses in the central part of the city.

By 6 p.m. the major part of the tumult and the shouting will have died down.

SIX O'CLOCK CLOSING

Most of the stores will close their doors at six o'clock, according to council rulings and in view of the fact that they have remained open the customary three evenings for pre-Christmas shopping.

Then when the shopping rush is over, the scene will shift from the noise and bustle of the business centres, to the quiet and seclusion of the home—for Christmas more than any other day in the year, is essentially a home day. Tired business men, thoughtful housewives and eager, expectant children will gather in the home in anticipation of the promise that "Santa Claus is Coming to Town."

And what merry times will be seen in the homes! Christmas trees will be decorated. The results of the tremendous volume of shopping that has been done will reappear in red, green and white tissue and fancy wrappings and will be placed in favored spots on and 'neath the Christmas trees.

CAROLS WILL RING

Over the radio and on the records will be heard "Silent Night, Holy Night," "Good King Wenceslas," "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen," and other favorite carols, all of which will add to the impressive occasion.

Finally, when all is ready, the family will retire humming "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town." Mother and father will sleep soundly. But many young heads will lie restless and sleepless on snowy pillows waiting for the first tinkle of Santa's reindeer bells. They will wonder what the rosy-cheeked gent will leave and all sorts of visions will be conjured up in their youthful minds.

And then Christmas Day. Oh, what joy!

MIDNIGHT SERVICES

There will be midnight services starting at 12 midnight at All Saints' Pro-Cathedral and at St. Joachim's, with the latter service being broadcast over CRFN with Ernest Cote at the mike. Carols will be sung and an entirely appropriate atmosphere will be preserved.

On Christmas Day there will be a bang-up good hockey game out at the arena between the highly-touted Saskatoon Wesleys and an all star Edmonton junior aggregation. This should be a game worth going a long way to see.

GOOD AMUSEMENTS

Theatre managers have provided an attractive series of pictures to delight audiences. There will be some of best known stars appearing and the whole outlook is for a high class entertainment. Of special interest to the children will be the picturization at the Strand of Victor Herbert's lovely musical extravaganza "Babes in Toyland" to which score Herbert contributed the "March of the Toys" and other of his most charming melodies.

But in the home will be seen most of the Christmas celebrating. It is essentially a family day, with the outside attractions drawing in the evening.

At the University hospital, in the morning, will be the distribution of hampers and gifts made possible by the "Not Forgotten Fund."

Edmonton appears ready to plunge into the Christmas celebration as enthusiastically as in any year in the last decade.

PRINCE TO TOUR ATLANTIC ISLES

LONDON, Dec. 24—Arrangements for the conclusion of the Duke of Gloucester's return journey after his visit to Australia and New Zealand, as announced from Buckingham palace, follow:—

"On leaving the Panama canal zone the Duke will arrive at Kingston, Jamaica, on Feb. 26 and leave on March 8. He will then pay a short visit to the Bahamas and Bermuda, arriving at Nassau on the morning of March 10 and leaving on March 13 late at night. He will reach Bermuda on the morning of March 16 and leave on the morning of March 19, reaching England on March 28."

Boys From North Create Rumpus In City Radio Studio

Two of thars-gold-in-them-thar-hills boys from 'way down north, who came "out" to spend the Christmas holiday celebrations among the bright lights, caused a flurry of excitement in a local radio station Saturday night.

Slightly under the influence of bottled Xmas cheer, they marched into the radio studios and demanded that they broadcast to their friends down north. The radio station staff refused and a disturbance followed that upset the quiet decorum of the studios. Police were finally called and managed to persuade the northland men that it might be better not to broadcast their greetings.

Nitwit Mixed Candy, To His Lasting Sorrow

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 24—A young man was having lots of fun throwing miniature torpedoes here and there. He was eating gum drops, too.

As he walked along through the shopipngt hrongs he would pull a gum drop from his pocket and crunch it. Into his pocket again and again—a torpedo, then a gum drop. But, they got mixed. He went to the hospital suffering a badly burned and bruised jaw.

PRIME MINISTER ISSUES MESSAGE

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—Prime Minister R. B. Bennett yesterday issued the following message through the Canadian Press: "At this season of the year Canadians are able to look back with satisfaction and thanksgiving upon 18 months of continuous business and economic progress.

"The notable improvement of conditions within Canada has aroused Canadians to a renewed appreciation of the immensity of their national heritage. The practical experience of the difficult years, which happily are now past, has resulted in a more profound sense of our moral responsibility as a people for the equitable and efficient organization of our human and physical resources.

"Christmas will bring a greater measure of happiness to every Canadian community. We will rejoice in the knowledge that the rest of the world is likewise enjoying a more abundant Christmastide.

"To my fellow Canadians, I sincerely wish every possible joy and happiness for the brightest Christmas our country has seen in years."

French Chamber Takes Holiday

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Marking a victory for the new government of Premier P. E. Flandin, the French Senate and Chamber of Deputies Saturday recessed for the holidays after finally approving the hard-fought wheat market reconstruction bill and the 1935 budget, with its special addition of 800,000,000 francs for emergency munitions expenditures.

The Chamber adopted the budget bill on fourth reading by 466 to 120 and then accorded a rising vote to the wheat bill. The Senate later adopted both measures and also the wine market reconstruction bill, which already had passed the Chamber.

The wheat bill provides for government purchase of carry-overs from 1933 and 1934 in order to relieve the deadweight on the present market.

Girl Facing Trial Tries To End Life

BERKELEY, Dec. 24.—Violet Albrecht, 25, who recently arrived here from Chicago, was prevented from throwing herself from a window in the chamber of Judge Oliver Young, where she was taken for a hearing on charges of disturbing the peace. She was arrested after Edward Matthews, Berkeley cafe worker, told police that the girl had threatened him.

Judge Young grabbed the girl as she was about to plunge from the second story window. She was taken to a hospital for observation.

DOUG'S BRITISH SWEETHEART IS NEAR TO DEATH

Fairbanks, Jr., Drops Stage Work to be Near Gertrude Lawrence

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Three times during the last week doctors feared that Gertrude Lawrence, famous English actress, was near death, it was learned for the first time today.

And Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., hovering around the nursing home where his oft-rumored fiance lies critically ill, refuses to appear on the stage or film set until Miss Lawrence is able to act with him.

Miss Lawrence has been under treatment in the nursing home for several weeks, suffering, it is understood, from a severe mastoid ailment.

Surgeons declare an operation is imperative, but they can not risk the knife until the present attacks subside.

"Moonlight Is Silver," the second show in which she and the young American film actor had appeared together, was cancelled two weeks ago.

The reason given at that time was Miss Lawrence and Fairbanks were busy on a new picture, "Vie de Boheme."

When Miss Lawrence became seriously ill, however, young Fairbanks refused to act with a substitute leading lady, and production of the picture, too, was halted by the British International Studios.

Hold Funeral Of Entwistle Mayor

ENTWISTLE, Dec. 24.—Funeral of the late Mayor Joseph Martin, who died recently from a stroke, in the middle of his duties, and from which he never regained consciousness, was held Wednesday.

Familiarly known as "Pap," standing six feet two, with a military bearing, Mr. Martin had farmed on a large scale here since 1912. Previous to that he had a business in Kentucky, where he was born and raised.

Mrs. Martin died here in 1926 and Mr. Martin is survived by a daughter and son, Mrs. J. Fitzgerald and Charles, both of Entwistle. Rev. Howard performed the funeral rites and the council was represented by Councillors J. D. Read and T. B. Thompson and the secretary, W. C. Smith.

American Petitions For Chinese Name

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—George Baxley, wireless operator, whose white blood caused him to lose his 17-year-old Chinese bride in 1932, now wants to become legally known as Tee Peh Lee.

Baxley asked the superior court for legal sanction for the proposed change of name which he said he desired because his associations, including his employment, are Chinese—though he was born in Raymond, California.

In 1932 Baxley eloped to Reno with Miss Daisy Ellen Fung, daughter of a Chinese merchant of San Francisco. The father, Fung Ming Quong, obtained an annulment of the marriage on the ground that Baxley, despite his claim at the time of having Chinese blood, was a white man and that the marriage, therefore, was contrary to law.

Warders of Arctic Waste

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Super-Ingenuity Required For Celebrations

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Join In Yuletide Spirit

OTTAWA, Dec. 24—Those devoted servants of Canada, warders of the Arctic marshes, are preparing with all the means available to have a Merry Christmas. They are the mounted police and the wireless operators. With them will be an occasional missionary, in some cases a Hudson Bay agent, and here and there a doctor.

Word coming down to Ottawa by wireless tells of these preparations and messages will go back to them during the twilight of Christmas Day from their relatives down in the cities and farm-houses of the settled portions of the Dominion. Many a Christmas dinner will be served far north of the tree line.

The most northerly post will be at Craig Harbor, on the southern tip of Ellesmere Island where two constables of the mounted police are stationed. Another mounties post is on the northern end of Baffin Island at Pond Inlet. Herschel Island off the mainland in MacKenzie Bay is also a very northerly station. Aklavik, where the MacKenzie river empties into the sea has another post. The Marine department wireless posts are at Coppermine, Chesterfield Inlet, Nottingham Island and Resolution. There is the one farther south at Churchill.

The whites always assemble for Christmas. Sometimes there are only three or four, sometimes as in the case of Aklavik, 30 or 40, and even more as in Fort Smith. They feast as best they can, give presents, most of which they have made themselves. The Eskimo have their own feasts but they usually join later in the festivities of the whites.

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Today's text suggested by Rev. Andrew Love, St. Mary's Church, Anglican, Lavoy. Wednesday's text selected by Mr. John A. C. Fraser, Christian Science Committee on Publication, Edmonton.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 24

CHRISTMAS

Christmas is one day in the year which people in Christian lands, voluntarily and almost without exception, devote to the fine art of giving happiness to others.

As that particular kind of a festival, it dates back to the birth of One who gave all that he had to give, including life itself, that men "Might have life and have it more abundantly." There could be no Christmas, as we know it, if there had been no Christ. In historic fact and permanent significance it is the anniversary celebration of the birth of a little child; whose philosophy was to shake the world and shape the destinies of mankind. Christmas, dissociated from Him, could be only a pagan orgy.

The custom of making gifts at this season derives from the record that to His humble birth-place came wise men from the east bearing "Gifts; gold and frank-incense and myrrh." The giving of gifts has thus been associated with Christmas from the beginning.

This custom is now all but universal where Christmas is known. Cynics say that sometimes the custom outruns sentiment, and gifts are given only as a matter of habit, or as a return of favors. Perhaps so, but these cases are exceptions. No sweeping charge of the kind can be laid against the practice in general. Behind the giving of gifts there is almost always a desire to give happiness. The gift is only the means to the end.

Gifts vary, as they must and should, according to the circumstances of the giver and the receiver. There are times when a thoughtful word or a generous act is all the giver has to give, or what the receiver most needs. That in itself, in those circumstances, is the gift supreme. Whether gifts be trifling or costly in money is of little moment, so that they carry a kindly wish and meet a need or want in the life of some one else. The motive and the result are what count; not the market value of the merchandise. To make a poor child happy with a cheap toy is a greater service than to add another jewel to the glittering display of a wealthy mandarin. A book selected with thoughtful care may be a perennial source of pleasure, though the cost be slight.

Because of the spirit which speaks through gifts and acts of kindliness, Christmas exhibits human nature at its best. At no other time are the generous quite so unselfish, or the average of unselfishness quite so high. There cannot be very much hope for a man who could spend Christmas plotting ill to his neighbor. There cannot be any such thing as moral bankruptcy of the race while on at least this one occasion each year men and women everywhere thrust aside the impulse to get and keep, and indulge the urge to create happiness in other lives.

The atmosphere of Christmas is distinctive. The personal attitude toward others is somewhat different, and finer, than at other times. And what better hope is there that the clang of arms and the threat of strife may vanish from the world than rings down the ages in the message from Bethlehem: "Peace on earth, good will among men." There, we are bound to admit, is the prescription for an ideal world, freed of the sordid villainies from which comes so much of human woe.

The message of Christmas is a challenge to mankind, and every year that passes repeats and emphasizes the challenge. Men spend their lives in the pursuit of happiness. For that they scheme, and struggle—and steal. But on Christmas they know that isn't the way to find happiness. For on that day they do not pursue pleasure for themselves, but try to extend it to others. And at no other time is happiness so complete and wholesome.

The lesson is plain. Happiness does not come as the reward of self-seeking. It is a reaction from the effort to make others happy. It is the unsought dividend that is paid for the investment of thought or money in promoting the welfare of other people. And the amount of the dividend is in keeping with what of ourselves we put into the effort, and how well the kindly act or the gift meets a human need.

Surely if this world is to be made a more desirable place to live in, there is no way in which that purpose can be better furthered than by trying to carry forward into the routine business of the common day something of the very uncommon sentiment that inspires our conduct and governs our contacts one with another at this "merry" Christmas time.

NO MORE WARS "ON CREDIT"

Italian subjects who have money owing to them abroad have been ordered to convert the debts into gold and bring the gold home to Italy.

The bankers at Rome explain the object. Italy must have a "war chest of gold," since if it happens to get into another war it can only buy supplies abroad if it pays for them cash down in gold or goods. There can be no more buying war supplies on time.

The Italian bankers at least have no illusions on the subject. The money market in the United States has been definitely closed and apparently for good, so far as war borrowings are concerned. And outside the United States where is there any repository of wealth that could be drawn upon in quantity sufficient for a European war?

A belligerent country hereafter will have to do its financing at home and in allied states, or pay gold or goods for what it buys elsewhere. War as an investment is "out"; thanks to the non-payment of the war debts due at Washington and the diminishing prospect that they will ever be paid. Who today would gamble a dollar on foreign war bonds?

Default of the debts from the last war is cheap, even to the United States, if it has made the financing of future wars on international credit impossible.

Forty Years Ago

From the Files of The Edmonton Bulletin

The resident population of the town of Edmonton as per revised census is 1,267. That of South Edmonton, within the limits of the surveyed townsite, as per police census, is 371, making the total population of Edmonton and South Edmonton 1,638. Considered as one town, which as regards the general business of the country they are, they have the third if not the second largest population of any town in the Territories and stand second if not first in commercial importance.

J. Lauder's bake shop on Jasper avenue was broken into last night and two large Christmas cakes taken.

Hon. Thomas Cochrane, of Cochrane, west of Calgary, is expected to arrive in Edmonton tonight. Mr. Cochrane is spoken of as a probable candidate for the Commons, in Alberta; at the next Dominion elections.

A glove contest between two toughs named Cuff and White took place in Robertson hall Monday night. The glove contest became a fight from the start and Cuff had one wrist broken. At the fourth round White failed to come to time. The police ordered the fight to stop and there was much disputing about the payment of bets.

Lethbridge has organized an Old Timers Association, dating from 1886.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Copies of the issues during November and December, 1904, are missing from the files in the office of the Bulletin. Thirty years ago items are accordingly omitted perforce until the New Year.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Ottawa.—Major W. A. Griesbach of Edmonton has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and will raise the 49th regiment of infantry at Edmonton.

London.—The stock exchange will re-open, under heavy restrictions early in the new year.

Washington.—The Hobson resolution to submit a constitutional amendment for national prohibition to the state legislatures was defeated in the House.

Mr. E. W. Beatty has been appointed vice president of the C.P.R.

Edmonton's unemployed population is estimated at 5,000.

Paris.—France does not favor acceptance of Japan's offer to send an army to Europe.

Ottawa.—Senator Kirchoffer died suddenly at his home here.

Canada has built a $400,000 building to house its exhibits at the Panama exhibition at San Francisco.

TEN YEARS AGO

The hospital board is asking the city council for a grant of $75,000 toward the running expenses for next year.

London, Eng.—London is minus 3,000,000 rats, the professional catchers having disposed of that many during the year.

For the first time in ten years the Bar of Alberta held a general meeting on Saturday, in the Edmonton court house. It was decided to move toward the formation of a provincial section of the Dominion Bar Association.

Ottawa.—A contract for the clock and chimes to be installed in the new tower of the parliament buildings is being awarded to an English firm, for $20,000.

Poems That Live

THE PINE

The elm lets fall its leaves before the frost,
The very oak grows shivering and sere,
The trees are barren when the summer's lost:
But one tree keeps its goodness all the year.

Green pine, unchanging as the days go by,
Thou art thyself beneath whatever sky:
My shelter from all winds, my own strong pine,
'Tis spring, 'tis summer, still, while thou art mine.

—*Augusta Webster.*

When Dr. Frederick Banting discovered insulin, he also made possible discovery of a cure for another dreaded disease, pernicious anaemia. He made it possible because insulin cured Dr. George Minot, who in turn discovered, through research, a cure for the other disease.
—**Niagara Falls Review.**

A hick town is a place where you say, "Gimme Jones' store," and Central says, "His phone has been took out."—The Tweed News.

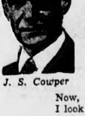
An Alberta party leader wants the province extended northward to the Arctic. Has he thought of the effect on Alberta's average temperature?—Winnipeg Free Press.

With the New Year near and another list of honors about to be distributed, the question of titles will be revived. No doubt Mr. Bennett has his recommendation prepared and it may be fairly safe to suggest that Mr. Stevens is not on the list.—Saskatoon Star-Phoenix.

The Passing Show

By J. S. COWPER

Christmas Eve! It hardly seems worth the while to write a column. Who wishes to read about war and rumors of war, the state of the wheat market, "sound money," the marriages and divorces of Hollywood movie queens and the rest of the daily fodder of columnists when Santa is getting ready to fill stockings and everybody is shaking hands with everybody else and saying, "A Merry Christmas."


J. S. Cowper

Several friends who read the daily column have included me in their greeting list. One bright and lyrical lady deplores that whereas she used to tip the beam at ninety pounds:

Now, alas and alas!
I look in the glass,
And wildly exclaim
Like the stupefied dame
In the nursery rhyme,
"Lawd! Is this I'm?"

She sends some rainbow memories of her girlhood days, in the old South. They are pleasing to reflect on when the frost is on the ground:

Wild canaries winging in—
Yellow-bright—
Check their flight,
Singing in the apple trees,
Showering petals pink and white.
Green frog on a lily pad—
Through the haze—
List his lays!
Water gurgling from a jug
Sounds his song of ancient days.

Star-throat to the lilac bush
Near draws—
Guess the cause?
Feathered beauty, blue and green,
Shimmerings wings of golden gauze
Goggle-eyed blue dragon fly
Hanging low—
Seeking so—
Iridiscent wings a-hum
Tid-bits where pool-lilies grow.

Robin red-breast on a limb—
How he sings,
As he swings—
Of the little home complete,
And some other lovely things.
Wild bees in the clover patch—
Hum-m—hum-m—
Honey come,
Clover-blossoms weight of sweet
Ready in the golden sun.

Butterflies the sweet peas seek,
Dark and fair,
Wooing there:
Velvet wings and satin leaves
Swaying in the scented air—
Fireflies darting through the dusk:
Gems of light
Glowing bright
In and out among the trees,
Fairy lanterns in the night.

Like a rainbow all my own,
Dear heartsease
All of these
Treasured pictures of my mind,
Fragrant rainbow memories.

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Yesterday, exchanging guarded confidences, as men do when they feel sure of one another, I heard a strange story of a happy Christmas from the lips of a burly he-man.

The story starts many years ago when a twin brother and sister came to a family in the North-West Territories. It was an old-fashioned family with many children in it, but the twin boy and girl grew up together as playmates and confidantes. After he was 12 and trusted with a rifle, his twin sister was his sole companion on hunting trips. When she would tire he would empty his back-pack into her rucksack and carry her for miles through the bush as a pack load. They thought of life as something they'd go through together.

Then came the war as they were to manhood and womanhood grown. Fighting on the western front he received a bad rifle wound which tore through his right lung. He was sent to hospital in London—a hospital entirely run by women from the surgical staff down to the orderlies. Day after day, racked with fever and pain, and suffering frequent hemorrhages, he lay there. One day the lady superintendent came in to say that a new patient was to be placed in his room, for company.

"I can't bear company," he said.

"But this is someone you'll like," she said. "Someone related to you." But whether it was one of his three brothers or two sisters who were serving at the front, she refused to say.

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That night he woke from a drugged sleep to hear his name spoken. As he reached to see if it was a dream, a hemorrhage caused the blood to spurt out over the bed, and over another bed that had been drawn up close to him. A hand reached out for his. It was his twin sister who lay beside him.

The night before, the hospital in which she served near Etaples was bombed by German planes. She helped a wounded man find safety. An officer ordered her to run for the dug-outs. But there were other patients to save and she ran back into the building to help another to safety. The next German bomber scored a direct hit on the hospital. The bomb tore off one of her legs and did other injuries.

Her case was hopeless. She knew that her twin brother lay in hospital in London, and she asked to be taken there before she died. A special train took her to Calais, a British destroyer took her to Dover and a special train brought her to London.

Through that happy Christmastide, the maimed and broken brother and sister who had once roamed the Canadian woods together, lay side by side, and hand in hand, and talked of their childhood exploits.

"She knew nothing could be done for her, and no attempt was made to do anything. We lay there hand in hand all that night, all next day and part of the next night, holding hands and talking. We knew it was the last chance and we didn't want to sleep or be disturbed," he said, and told of how she passed away still with her hand holding his.

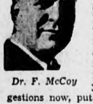
"You were the lucky one to pull through," I suggested. "No, not the lucky one," he corrected.

Curing Colds By Fasting

By DOCTOR FRANK McCOY

If you have been eating too much this winter, become enervated and finally caught a cold, this will be a good time for you to try the fasting cure which I have been telling you so much about.

You, doubtless, have had other dozens of different kinds of symptoms and ailments which I have been explaining to you can be cured by fasting. So, if you do not have a cold at the present time, the treatment which I am going to suggest for you would be beneficial in getting rid of your other troubles, and, if a cold is already starting, it is imperative that you follow these instructions. If you do not use these suggestions now, put this article away for future reference.


Dr. F. McCoy

At the start of a cold there is often the symptom of sneezing before any mucus discharge starts. The sneezing is caused by irritation of dust or bacteria affecting the nasal mucous membrane. At the same time the head feels heavy, the nose seems congested and the eyes are tired. A little later the nose begins to run requiring that you blow it every 10 minutes and it becomes red and sore from continual blowing. As soon as the mucous begins to flow in large quantities it is then always wise to stop the intake of food. Drink only plain water with the addition of lemon or orange juice.

An excellent treatment which you can use at this time is to drink the liquid from steeping whole grapefruit in boiling hot water. Prepare this as follows: Cut the grapefruit in small pieces, skin and all, and pour over each grapefruit a quart of boiling-hot water. Allow this to stand in an enameled pan or glass jar. After standing for at least thirty minutes, begin to drink the liquid—taking from four to eight ounces every one-half hour. This liquid contains the acid of the grapefruit and also a large amount of organic quinine which is extracted from the skin of the grapefruit. This has a similar effect to the inorganic quinine which you have often taken. Take a drink of water every one-half hour, either plain or with lemon, orange or the steeped grapefruit juice. Continue in this way for several days until the cold is entirely eliminated. During this time you should take two enemas daily, using plain warm water, and use hot sponge baths at least twice daily.

The fasting must be continued as long as any fever exists or if there is much mucous in the nose or throat. If the temperature becomes over 100 degrees, get between woolen blankets and take a good sweat once or twice a day. It is a good plan to be as quiet as possible while under this treatment to cure the cold. You will actually be in much better health afterwards if you take the fasting treatment for your cold, as the body will be cleansed of many accumulated toxins which have been burdening your body for a long time.

After you are well, correct your habits of eating and exercising and working so that you do not again develop the toxemia and enervation upon which colds are bulit.

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If it is desired to communicate direct with Dr. McCoy, readers are requested to address communication direct to Dr. Frank McCoy, 689 South Ardmore Ave., Los Angeles, California, and replies will be mailed direct from that address.

Horoscope

By MARY BLAKE

On Christmas Day, the Yuletide spirit of good cheer and a feeling of generosity will influence many to do charitable acts, so that unfortunate neighbors and homeless wanderers may bear their burdens with a heart made brighter by a restored faith in their fellow man's sympathetic understanding.

Married and engaged couples, as well as those head over heels in love, will find this a very wonderful day if each of them prove by actions, rather than gifts, their earnest desire to render loving service.

If a woman and December 25 is your birthday, you possess high ideals and are very spiritual-minded, however, tolerant regarding the opinions and actions of others. Marriage is a medium through which you may secure your greatest happiness.

If a man and December 25 is your natal day, a sense of self-respect and a clear understanding of what constitutes uprightness should enable you to inspire confidence essential in filling positions where trustworthiness is the most important requisite.

Use a lot of determination and perseverance if you expect to accomplish anything of importance on December 26, for there may be a strong inclination to loaf on the job. Money can be made by steady application to business.

Married and engaged couples, as well as those in a sentimental state of mind, may have to use a great deal of tactful diplomacy to avoid getting on their beloved one's nerves.

If a woman and December 26 is your birthday, you have a streak of thriftiness in your make-up that makes waste an abhorrence in your sight. Be careful, however, in a desire to save money, not to become "penny wise and pound foolish." Matrimony offers many advantages to one of your disposition.

If a man and December 26 is your natal day, be careful you are not inclined to be a little too exacting regarding household and office expenditures, for this might create an unhappy atmosphere in both places.

One way for a man to best a woman in an argument is to state his version of the case—and then run.—Ottawa Journal.

SIDE GLANCES—By Geo. Clark

"You should have some idea of how many children your sisters have."

On This Date

A Day in Canadian History —o— *By FRED WILLIAMS*

On this date in 1814 a treaty of peace signed at Ghent ended the war which the United States had forced upon Great Britain and Canada, a war which would never have been waged if there had been an Atlantic cable in existence, for the orders in council of which the United States complained had been repealed before the Congress ordered the declaration of war.

It was February, 1815, before the news of the Christmas peace reached America and the fighting on land and sea ended. The peace was welcome on both sides of the lakes. Neither country made any concession and the blood and money expended was wasted save for sentimental results. Both nations learned much by the war. Each had found the spirit of the other more formidable than it had expected and each conceived for the other a mutual respect which in 1817 brought about the Bagot-Rush agreement.

The United States by the treaty made secure its hold upon the Ohio valley, but on the other hand Canada remained securely British, a Canada stronger because of the test of battle. Upper Canada had lacked the long tradition of sacrifice cherished by Lower Canada, but saved, by the courage of its own defenders, it created its own tradition in war and has ever since had a proud memory of its heroic dead.

Americans, like Canadians, saw a bright side to the conflict. One historian asserts that the war created a national sentiment, consolidated the union and "made us a nation," yet another wrote "so great was the universal joy that the Federals and Democrats forgot their difference and their hates and wept and laughed by turns in each other's arms and kissed each other like women."

For 119 Christmas eves since, the bells have rung out their message of peace on earth to men of goodwill. We should never forget that snowy Christmas eve in 1814, when, just as the night was merging into the great Birthday, the news ran through the streets that peace had been born anew in that ancient Flemish city. Tomorrow will be the anniversary of the birth of the Prince of Peace. Today is the anniversary of our continental peace.

Current Comment

CONDONING SOCIALISM

With grave unction, Montreal editors are advising Vancouver's Mayor-elect, Gerry McGeer, not to meddle with the problems of money.

Gerry, it seems, can look after sewers and schools and unemployment. But St. James' Street reserves all questions of money and credit for itself.

It is a dangerous reservation.

For it is the very failure of the banks and of governments to provide money and credit plentifully enough and cheaply enough to keep consumers using all the foods and goods machines will produce that is giving Socialism and Communism an unanswerable argument for abandoning our present social system.

The ideas and ideals of Mr. McGeer, the ideas and ideals of Douglas Social Credit advocates and the ideas and ideals of all those who have common sense enough to see the present suffering and unemployment cannot continue in a land of plenty, are to introduce such money reform as will equate our consumption with our new ability to produce.

At present we try to gear our production with our old broken-down system of private or banker credit.

This means that we are still regarding money and credit as a commodity like wheat or beef or steel.

The fact is that public credit is simply and only a functioning service, such as collecting taxes or administering the law, and is entirely a function of government.

Money or credit is no more a commodity than a hat check is a hat.

Instead of gearing production and unemployment generally to our financial structure, we must now reverse the economic system so that public credit and money will be geared UP to Canada's ability to produce.

Unless this is done, and done quickly, every owner of Canadian stocks and bonds can say goodbye to his securities, which cannot possibly be secure among a starving and unemployed and debt-saddled people.

The Douglasites and the McGeers and the thousands who voted for McGeer prefer the sensible Liberal changes now advovated to the radicalism of Russia or the do-nothing-ism of St. James' Street.

An interesting, livable world is being unfolded to man. It is about time he commenced to visualize and enjoy it.—Vancouver Sun.

The Mail Bag

MR. IRVINE TAKEN TO TASK

Editor, Edmonton Bulletin, Sir:—Allow me space to give my views on a meeting held on the 12th instant at the Arbor Park schoolhouse by Mr. Wm. Irvine, the sitting member for the Wetaskiwin riding.

It was interesting and very amusing as Mr. Irvine tried to put out some impressions, such as that the Liberal party left a debt in this province of ninety-million dollars and that the interest and compound interest would bring up the debt to where it is now at the present time of one-hundred and forty-three millions.

It was very misleading but, at question time, he admitted that the interest on the public debt has to be paid every year out of current revenue and what has increased the provincial debt has been borrowing to pay out that much more than was collected from revenue.

This was caused by mismanagement, as no individual or government can spend more than their income without going broke.

A very amusing part of his address was when he said that there was no reason why every home in town and country should not be painted and have hot and cold water with a bath-tub and a toilet, with electric lights installed and that would be done when the C. C. Heifers went into power.

Another amusing instance was Mr. Irvine told his audience that if you should want a highway from Ponoka to any place and it

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Sunshine Shafts

Joe: "Did you make the debating team?"

Jim: "Nn-no; they s-s-said I w-wasn't t-t-t-tall enough."

"I can't stand that actor; he is such a conceited fellow."

"Conceited! I should think he is. Why every time he hears a thunder clap at home he runs to the window and bows."

Father: "When I was your age I was glad to eat any food that was set before me."

Son: "And now it's the drinks, hey, pa?"

At a course for transport officers in India one subaltern had not paid a great deal of attention to the instruction imparted, and on the last day he was asked by the commandant to step forward and tell the age of a mule.

The young officer opened the mule's mouth in gingerly fashion and peered inside enquiringly. Then he said with a difficult cough, "Well . . . er . . . sir, I don't know that I can give you the . . . er . . . age of this mule, but judging by the look of his tongue, I'd say he was up very late last night."

CHRISTMAS COMES but once a year —we wish you a merry one!

HENRY BIRKS AND SONS LIMITED
DIAMOND MERCHANTS

The Mail Bag

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cost one-million dollars; when the C.C.F. was in power all there was to do was the government to write $1,000,000.00, have the road built and then cancel the $1,000,000.00 and you have the road.

Mr. Irvine was asked by one of the audience if it was possible to put the social credit, as advocated by Mr. Aberhart, in operation in the province of Alberta, and he was honest enough to say "no" as there was only one way to put social credit in operation and that was by the Dominion government and that would be done when the C. C. Heifers were sent to Ottawa.

Now, Mr. Editor, since the passing into effect of the Magna Charta some 700 years ago, the people of England started to make laws on common sense and reason and now have the finest code of laws there is in the world today and we in Canada enjoy those same laws, and if Mr. Irvine will use a little common sense and reason, instead of commercial ideas, it will be much better for the country and himself.

Now, sir, if the Liberal party at Ottawa carry out their pledge to cancel the privately-owned bank, after the next election and make it a public-owned bank, then I suppose the Bank Act will have to be concelled, as the Federal Government is going to issue the paper currency which, I understand, is their intention, through this central bank and then, as I understand it, the currency will belong to the nation, instead of the bankers.

After hearing Mr. Irvine the other night, his platform must have been taken from Mr. Mackenzie King's pocket.

ALBERT COLE.

Ponoka, Alta.

WHERE MONEY GOES

Editor Bulletin: It has recently come to my attention that the local "Reds" and members of the Ukranian Labor Temple Association are canvassing around stores and offices among generous-minded people for financial help.

Do English-speaking people realize what they are doing when they donate to the Bolshevist cause? Do they know that the "cause" which the "Reds" represent is dangerous to Canada? Do they know that the so-called "Ukrainian Labor News" which is printed in Winnipeg since 1919 never said one single word in favor of Canada or its government or institutions?

Is it really in the interest of Canadians to help to build and to support the vast Red Russian Empire which covers one-sixth of the earth's surface?

How many roubles did Red Russia collect in order to help destitute Canadians who are fighting with all their might in order to maintain themselves?

Wouldn't those dollars which are going from the pockets of generous Edmonton business and professional men help much better right here in Edmonton, instead of being used for the Russian Bolshevist cause?

I have seen a woman going around the stores and offices whose husband is occupying a well-paid, steady job with the C.N.R. right here in Edmonton. This good job-holding Bolshevist's wife has nerve enough to go around and beg, in order that Bolshevists may have means with which to uproot the Canadian government and make Canada safe for Stalin and his cohorts.

Something should be done about this and the real cause for which the money is being collected should be exposed.

S. WASCOM.

Edmonton, Alta.

WAR—OR PEACE?

Editor Bulletin: In reading the newspapers for the past few months, we see that there is a danger of another blood-bath, even more destructive than that of 1914, and while this danger is increasing, the various world powers are prattling about peace. But are they interested in peace.

Great Britain claims to be in favor of peace, while at the same time, she spends millions on war preparations, sends munitions to South America, and her delegate to the League of Nations, Sir John Simon holds shares in the biggest armament firm in the world.

Canada is another who is in favor of peace. Canada spends millions every year on war preparations (barracks, armories and air ports) and herds the single unemployed into camps, under the Department of National Defence which in case of war will make an instantaneous huge army, and then claims that there is no money left for public works and for relief.

Germany, Italy, France, the the U.S.A. and the other world powers all prattle about peace but when we closely scrutinize what they are doing and not what they are saying, we can see a different side altogether.

What is the cause of war? Is it because some Archduke has been shot, or that one nation is protecing another in South Africa (the Boer war)? Most decidedly not.

War is the only way out of the crises for the various powers. War is the fight for the control of the world's markets, for economic control, and it is not the common people who want war, although it is they who give their lives. It is the rich manufacturers, the armament firms, and the bankers in the gluttonly search for more and more profits.

Can we prevent war? Yes, we can. If we all unite together against this, we can prevent and stop it. At the Canadian Congress Against War and Fascism, held on Oct. 5, 6 and 7, 337,000 people all over Canada were represented by 300 delegates. At the Youth Congress held on Aug. 4 and 5, 160,000 youths from the mills, mines, factories, and even the militia were represented by 275 delegates.

Here we have almost half a million people who are ready to struggle against war. If we are to prevent war, we must have more than that, we must have one united movement regardless of religion, creed, color, political belief or nationality, and only by such a movement can we prevent this coming evil.

M. KAYE,
Member National Committee.
Canadian League of Youth.

NEED SUGGESTIONS

Editor Bulletin: At a recent meeting of the Taxpayer's Association Executive Committee, in order to meet the decided interest still being shown, it was decided to ask for suggestions (through the public press) in connection with the forthcoming investigation and from the taxpayers at large.

Certain suggestions have already been made which include the following:

First, that we default in all interest payments over three per cent, for 1935, and that steps be taken to secure the required support from the superior governments to enable us to refinance our bonded indebtedness at said rate of 3 per cent as has been done for the National Railways and others.

Second, an immediate active campaign on behalf of the city to restore to the Tax Rolls a much greater amount of property now on the Tax Forfeiture Rolls by reducing the present price of said property and making the most convenient terms to legitimate buyers who are willing to erect satisfactory buildings on same.

Third, inasmuch as we believe that a mill rate of not exceeding 50 mills should be struck for 1935, we think that the taxpayers of the city should take immediate steps to support the present council in finding ways and means of reducing expenditure to that level.

In view of the above the committee would appreciate any concrete practical suggestions as to ways and means of reducing expenditure or overlapping of various departments, of any information that will enable them to bring forward valuable assistance to council. These suggestions should be in writing and forwarded to the "Taxpayer's Committee, c-o 504 Northern Investment Bldg., City," and should be brief and to the point as the committee will have to consider and consolidate a large number of suggestions before presenting same to council. It is requested that same be forwarded before December 31, 1934, for this particular purpose, but please bear in mind that this committee will be glad to receive information along these lines at any time and will spare no effort to be of assistance to mayor and council in their difficult task of creating a sound spirit of co-operation in this city.

F. R. LOVETTE,
Chairman Taxpayer's Committee.

UNSUNG HEROES

Editor Bulletin: There appeared recently in the Journal an article dealing with the tremendous responsibility of our railway engineers.

The article goes on to show the constant danger that our engineers are exposed to; all the lives that are depending on them for safety, and that in the mountains, the drivers are higher paid than on the prairies, owing to the increased danger they are subject to. The article goes on to impress the public that our engineers are supermen.

Further on in the article the Journal dedicated half a dozen words for the conductors and bare mention of the section men, and then it carelessly mention the efficiency of the remaining departments.

The writer is fully aware of the perils of our engineers, and has no intention whatsoever to cast any reflection on their trade, therefore my compliments to them; but credit and praise should be given where it is due generally, and this, especially, it is my desire to do.

When the engineer takes his locomotive out for a run everything is prepared for him, coal, water and sand is provided for, in short, it is all arranged.

When he returns particulars of any defects that may have developed during his run are handed over to the shopmen, who carefully check and make repairs.

If the engineer gets a faulty train order he is not to blame; if there are any sudden obstructions, there is not hardly anything he can do to prevent striking them; for instance look at the number of animals that are killed annually.

If there is a broken rail in his path it is entirely beyond his vision, and if a crash follows them, he has the section force to back up on.

The conductor does not get off quite so easy. He has sole command of the train. He must at the start of a run see that the engineer understands his train order and that he has the correct time. He must give all the signals with the utmost care or damage is done to rolling stock.

On passenger trains he has to put up with all types of people. Whether he likes it or not he must smile, be well dressed and courteous to the public.

A conductor must be well informed on all modes of travel and transportation; in short he must be a walking encyclopaedia, and travel bureau. To be frank, I have seen conductors so versatile, that in comparison Winston Churchill would look like a tin horn politician.

Then we come to the maintenance of way department. They are our "Missing Heroes."

On the section forces depends the safety of all travellers by rail. They are responsible for the safety of roadbed and track; they must know their work well and do it in a like manner.

The section forces must be conversant with all signals and rules; never must they make a mistake or disaster is inevitable.

They are hardy men as they must be able to face blizzards and below zero weather, and do their work. They are ready for duty any time. Without a complaint you see our section men working in torrid weather sweat-soaked and dirty.

In mountain territories their dangers are ten fold. Slides are apt to occur any time, and little rocks that only harmlessly bounce of our solid locomotives mean death to them.

In short, comparing responsibility, the other departments on the railroad are insignificant as to the section forces who are one of our lowest paid employees and get less than half of the wages paid to our highly praised engineers.

"NAME ON REQUEST."
Wainwright.

Crown As Corn King His Again

Being king of the corn world is nothing new to Peter J. Lux, above, of Shelbyville, Ind. The title, which he won at the International Livestock Show at Chicago with these fine ears of Johnson County white corn, was also won by Lux in 1919, 1922, and 1926.

Goldwyn Chooses 10 Leading Stars

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 24.—Samuel Goldwyn, pioneer film producer and discoverer of many of the screen's most brilliant players, has named "the ten outstanding stars in film history."

They were: Charles Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks, Norma Shearer, Mary Pickford, Marguerite Clark, Janet Gaynor, Greta Garbo, Clara Bow, and two who are dead, Wallace Reid and Marie Dressler.

The average wholesale price of a passenger car in 1921 in the U.S. was $720, while in 1933 it had declined to $472. In the truck field, the 1921 average was $1,035 and the 1933 figure $482.

NOT TOO LATE TO CONTRIBUTE MORE BLANKETS

Many Shivering Children Must Be Made Warmer

Twenty below zero, making the bitter night even more unendurable, a wind blowing from the north. A wind that creeps around the stoutest window panes. A wind that makes the curtains tremble and sends an icy little breeze around whoever may happen to stand near the window.

Smoke curls up from the chimneys all over the city, blown in white banners across the frozen sky. Footsteps, as the hurrying pedestrians pass down the street, sound loud on the frozen, brittle snow. Everywhere people hurry to the warm security of their homes, to sit in warmth until they go to a bed piled high with woollen blankets.

But what of the children (and there are many in the city) who are blue and shivering with the cold? What of the parents who are powerless to help their children from suffering from the cold? They stand close to an inadequate stove, trying to warm themselves, knowing that if they go to bed the bedding is too thin and old to protect them from the cold that penetrates into a house which offers none but the poorest protection from the winter wind.

It is difficult to imagine, when one is warm and cosy onself, that there actually are people within the city who are suffering in cold houses and with inadequate bedding. There are many, though, and to help these people the Lieut.-Col. William Baker chapter of the I.O. D.E. are asking for donations for its blanket fund. The entire proceeds will go towards buying blankets, and subscriptions may be paid to any of the following central depots: Suss Meat Market, 9560 111 avenue; Allmans Confectionery, 10424 124 street; Cowl's Drug Store, 10349 Whyte avenue; University Tuck Shop; Johnson's Cofe, Jasper avenue and 101 street; King Edward Cafe, 101 street.

RAN GAUNTLET ON MANY SEAS

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Thrilling tales of war-time voyages aboard a troop ship through submarine and mine-infested waters were related here by Capt. David Taylor who is retiring after almost 50 years of sea life. He has spent the last 39 years commanding vessels in various parts of the world.

In the '80s Dave Taylor first got a berth on a ship nearly 100 years old at the time. It was built long before the battle of Trafalgar. He first came to Montreal in 1893 as an officer on a cargo ship and in 1895 secured command of an ocean liner.

At the outbreak of the war the ship Capt. Taylor commanded became a troop ship. In the Mediterranean his vessel served during the Dardanelles campaign, and later as an ambulance carrier, bringing 1,000 severely wounded stretcher cases from Lemnos home to England. At one time the aged captain took his ship to India and carried Indian troops to France.

Throughout the entire war his ship was attacked only once, in February, 1917, by a submarine. The submarine fired a torpedo, missed and was taking aim to fire another. The single gun carried by Captain Taylor's vessel was so well manned, however, that the U-boat was forced to submerge and did not get an opportunity to fire a second torpedo.

time in areas affected by enemy

Although for a large part of the action, the captain came out of the war with a record of never having his ship damaged.

Britain Boosts Postal Service

LONDON, Dec. 24—Sir Stephen Tallents, who was appointed last year as Public Relations Officer, has begun to speed up the British Post Office services, starting at the public end. Posters and maps illustrating the development of modern communications have been issued to 21,000 schools as the first step in a general plan to familiarize more than 4,000,000 school children with postal and telegraph facilities.

There will be a fresh issue of posters every term with explanatory leaflets. Working telephone sets are being supplied to schools.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

WRITTEN FOR THE BULLETIN

By E. V. SHEPARD

FAMOUS BRIDGE TEACHER

THE WRONG LEAD COST GAME

No other part of bridge is so weak as making the best blind lead, both against no trumps and suit calls. Since I commenced playing bridge whist as a youngster, in 1903, there has been practically no advance made in the department of choosing the opening lead when partner has not bid. The early writers and teachers of both bridge whist and auction bridge were almost entirely highly trained whist players. Naturally these experts in the older game followed its traditions, although the two games are vastly different in many respects. The hand today will illustrate the impostance of being up to date on blind openings.

	♠ A J 3 ♥ A Q J 7 5 ♦ 10 6 2 ♣ 8 5	
♠ 9 7 6 4 ♥ 9 4 ♦ K 7 ♣ K Q J 4 2	N. W. E. S.	♠ 10 8 5 ♥ K 10 8 3 ♦ 9 8 5 3 ♣ 10 3
	♠ K Q 2 ♥ 6 2 ♦ A Q J 4 ♣ A 9 7 6	

Bidding went: South, 1-diamond; North, 1-heart; South, 2-no trumps; North, 3-no trumps, ending the auction.

The latest facts concerning opening leads against no trumps from suits headed by K-Q-J are: Lead the K from 6-card suits; lead the 4th best card from 4-card and 5-card suits. Like most players, West did not know that. He led the K. When South held up the ace West led the Q, dropping his partner's 10, and giving the declarer 2 stops, then South's ace took the trick.

South led a heart, the J lost on a finesse to East's K. That player led back his lowest diamond to dummy's greatest weakness, as East held no more clubs. South took a finesse. West was in with his K of diamonds, giving his side its third trick. West led his J of clubs, hoping against hope that in some way East still held a card of that suit, but the declarer held both missing clubs, and South went game.

Had West led his 4th best club South never could have gone game, as he would have been able to stop clubs only once. The defenders must have won 4 club tricks, with either a heart or a diamond, giving them 5 tricks, and defeating the contract a trick.

When it makes a real difference which card is used for the blind lead, the odds are 8 to 6 in favor of the K, from 6 headed by K-Q-J, and the odds are 8 to 7 in favor of the 4th best card from 5-card suits headed by K-Q-J. The odds in favor of leading the 4th best card from K-Q-J-X are overwhelmingly for it. Tomorrow we will give the latest and most efficient leads against no trumps.

WOODWARD LIMITED

TO OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS!

Holly — Mistletoe — Wreaths — Burning Candles — the Chimney ... what sentimental memories they bring of past Christmases!

.... The Management and Staff extend sincere appreciation for our pleasant business associations of the past year ... and heartily wish you and yours a Very Merry Christmas, Happiness and Prosperity throughout Nineteen-Thirty-Five!

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101st STREET at 102nd AVENUE
Store Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Cash and Carry Groceteria Specials

WEDNESDAY ONLY

WOODWARD'S

Ground Fresh Coffee	
Breakfast 1 lb. 22c, 3 lbs.	62c
Household 1 lb. 33c, 3 lbs.	93c
Java ..... 1 lb. 36c, 2 lbs.	70c
Orange Pekoe Tea, 1 lb. pkg.	49c
No. 1 Ceylon Tea, 1 lb. pkg.	38c
Family Tea ...... 1 lb. pkg.	35c
Pure Special Cocoa .... 2 lbs.	29c
Gem Soap Flakes ...... 2 lbs.	17c

WHITEX TOILET TISSUE 6 OZ. ROLL BLEACHED Quality-Value 4 for 25c

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Sliced Pineapple, 6-oz. can	13c
Bartlett Pears, 2's squat can	16c
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Pork & Beans, 2's squat can	7½c
Loganberry Jam, With Pectin, 4-lb. can	40c

NABOB

Tea— 1 lb. pkg. 43c, 2½ lb. pkg.	$1.05
Coffee, 1 lb. can	37c
Baking Powder, 1 lb. can	19c

EMPRESS

Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. can	52c
Gooseberry Jam, 4-lb. can	47c
Pitted Plum Jam, 4-lb. can	40c

SORGHUM

Made from Pure Cane, Per can, 2½'s 37c 5's 69c 10's $1.33

OGILVIE'S

Royal Household Flour, 24 lbs. .. 75c 49 lbs.	$1.38
98 lbs.	$2.65
Minute Oats, 20-lb. bag	85c
Wheat Hearts, 28-oz. pkg.	14c

KELLOGG'S

Corn Flakes, pkg.	7½c
Pep, pkg.	10½c
Rice Krispies, pkg.	10½c

Sold Only With Other Groceries

Pacific Milk, 16-oz. can	3 for 25c
Pearl White Soap ..	8 bars 25c
Norwegian Sardines in pure Olive Oil	3 cans 25c
LUX Flakes, 3 small pkgs.	25c

MAIL ORDERS received within one week will be filled at above SPECIAL PRICES. We reserve the right to limit quantities.

Fresh Meats and Provisions

Buttercup Creamery Butter, 2 lb. block 44c 3 lb. block	65c
Dairy Butter .... 2 lbs.	38c
Old Ontario Cheese, lb.	25c
Breakfast Bacon, ½-lb. pkg.	15c
Ham to Fry, ½-lb. pkg.	15c
Choice Lamb Chops .... 2 lbs.	25c
Choice Veal Steaks or Chops .... 2 lbs.	25c
Choice Round Steak, lb.	12c
Woodward's Little Pig Sausage ..... 2 lbs.	25c

—Lower Main Floor

Crepe Back Satin On Sale

Here is an opportunity for the wide-awake shopper on Wednesday Morning. A beautiful all-pure Silk Crepe Back Satin, 38 inches wide, in one shade only—a beautiful birch brown. A new shade. We ask you to be on hand early Wednesday .... 2 yards $1.00

—Main Floor

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

APPLES—Good Cooking or Eating. Household pack. Crate	$1.45
Delicious—Fancy pack Case	$1.85
McIntosh Reds—Fancy pack, case	$1.95
ORANGES—Sunkist Navels, Size 220 Special .... 2 doz.	69c
Size 344, Special .... 2 doz.	55c
LEMONS—California, Size 432, doz.	22c
CELERY—B.C. Fresh and crisp .. 3 lbs.	17c
POTATOES—White and mealy 90 lbs.	65c (Delivered)

Vegetable Combination
30 lbs. Potatoes
6 lbs. Cabbage
6 lbs. Carrots
6 lbs. Turnips
4 lbs. Beets
2 lbs. Celery
All for 59c (Delivered)

PARSNIPS, Fresh Stock ..... 7 lbs. 15c

—Lower Main Floor

Extra Specials on Winter Footwear

100 Pairs Black and Brown in Ladies' Overshoes. The popular two-dome style, to fit high or cuban heels. Sizes 3 to 8. Wednesday Extra Special $1.59

Ladies' Better-Grade Dress Shoes, Pumps, straps, ties and oxfords, in all the wanted heels. In patent, kid or calf leathers. Ideal for school or dress wear. Sizes 3 to 8. Wednesday Special $1.89

Indian Moccasin Special for men, boys and youths. Ideal to wear for all winter sports. An exceptional special price Wednesday. Sizes 11 in youths' to 11 in men's 89c

Men's Cloth Top Rubbers with storm fronts. The most popular winter rubbers for men. Sizes 6 to 11. Wednesday Special .. $1.25

Men's Spats, grey and fawn shades. Dome or button styles, leather bound. Shop early Wednesday. Sizes 6 to 11. Extra Special 89c

—Main Floor

In the Staple Section

Velvet and Tapestry Runners

A clean-up of beautiful Silk Velvet and Tapestry Runners. 36 inches long, 15 inches wide for the table or radio. This is an outstanding value for Wednesday. Special, each $1.00

Morocco Oriental Table Cloths

A clean-up line—they are gorgeous colors in Oriental designs, made of Morocco, 54x54 inches To clear at an absurdly low price. Wednesday, each $1.98

—Main Floor

Ladies! Buy a Coat with Your Gift Money

Extra Value is yours for a modest price on Wednesday, for these Coats only recently asked a much higher price. Good Woolen Coatings, serviceable collars of muskrat, opossum, caracul and French beaver. All sizes. Wednesday Bargain, each $15.00

New Frocks for the New Year Frolic

Richly styled Evening Dresses in Rayon, Taffeta and Moire, tempting shades that will make their wearers dazzle under the festive lights. See this lot at Woodward's. Sizes 14 to 20 years. Wednesday Special, each $8.00

Wool Fabric Dresses

A group of very serviceable Frocks for school or business wear, in misses' sizes, nicely trimmed shades. Sizes 14 to 20 years. Wednesday Special, each $3.00

Dollar and a Half Skirts

Young women should be real thrifty on Wednesday and shop here for this good value sale of winter weight cloth skirts. Several styles and all sizes 14 to 20 years. No exchanges at this price please). All-Day Bargain, each $1.50

Blanket Cloth Snow Suits

The most practical outdoor suit for little ones under six years. Warmth and protection is provided by this all-wool fabric. Styles are correct and shades of red, blue, green, navy are here for your choosing. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Wednesday Special, per suit $3.90

Ready-to-Wear—2nd Floor

Home Furnishings

Mottled Axminsters

Smart and attractive Rugs in mingled colors, serviceable and quite good enough to use in any part of your home. A good sized rug at a very moderate price. 27x54 inches. Each $2.49

Cotton Net

Four designs only, in white—very pretty designs of the latest type, in an excellent wearing and washable quality. 48 inches wide. On Sale Wednesday, yard 45c

—On the 3rd Floor

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—Main Floor

Jurors Hard Hit In Earlier Days

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The strain imposed upon elderly citizens summoned to serve on juries, of which complaint is being made, must have been a good deal more severe in the not very distant past, according to a London news reference. Until the passing of an act for their relief in 1870, juries were treated almost worse than the criminals they were summoned to try, it is pointed out. Among other hardships they were denied "meat, drink, or fire" while considering their verdict, and in a case tried by Lord Kenyon the jury had to sit for 13 hours without refreshment of any kind.

In some courts the injunction "Lay your heads together" had to be obeyed literally. The jury dived beneath the level of their box and consulted as to their verdict.

Winnipeg Rivers Fast Drying Up

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.—Fear that the once great streams of the Red and Assiniboine rivers which cut through part of the city of Winnipeg, will eventually dwindle to the size of rippling brooks has arisen coincident with agitation for federal aid in the construction of a modern sewage disposal plant.

Old timers recall the site of the city, first glimpsed by a white man with the arrival, in 1738, of Pierre Gaultier de Varennes, Sieur de la Verandrye from Montreal, once was cut in many directions by swift-flowing streams. These are now dried up and built upon. Only the Red and Assiniboine are left, they say, and dolefully predict these, too, will shortly disappear.

LORD MACMILLAN MAY INQUIRE IN BRITISH "ARMS"

LONDON, Dec. 24.—It is understood Lord MacMillan has been invited to become president of the Royal Commission being established to investigate the armaments business in Great Britain.

It was not immediately known whether Baron MacMillan of Aberfeldy, to give him his full title, had accepted the position.

Lord MacMillan was chairman of the Royal Commission of five persons which in 1933 investigated the banking system in Canada at the request of the Canadian Government.

Announcement of the formation of a commission to investigate the armaments business in Britain was made last week by Prime Minister Ramsay Macdonald just before the House of Commons recessed over the Christmas holiday.

Trail Smelter Gives 16 Tons Turkey To Help

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 24.—As a Christmas gift to its married employees and widows of former employees, a local mining company distributes turkeys. This year approximately 2,500 birds were distributed, 16 tons of gobblers, believed a record distribution. Last year 2,000 were given away.

More than 42,000 motorcycles are in operation in Switzerland.

Rothschild Paid When Outwitted

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Among the treasures of the late Baron Edmond de Rothschild was a scrap of paper inherited from his father, Baron James, founder of the French branch of the family, who preserved it as a memento of one of the few occasions on which he was outwitted in a financial transaction.

Visiting a charity bazaar, Baron James found George Sand in charge of one of the stalls. "I see nothing here that tempts me to buy," he said after surveying her goods, "but perhaps you will sell me your autograph."

Immediately the novelist took a sheet of notepaper and wrote, "Received from Baron James de Rothschild the sum of 1,000 francs.—George Sand." The Baron read it, raised his eyebrows, but handed over the cash.

Students Engage In Cake Battles

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—The annual "Cake-Fight" between the "Sophs and Frosh" of Trinity College was more exciting this year than ever. The cause of all this was a poor cake—and the name given to it was the Cake Fight, a tradition almost as old as that hotbed of traditions itself.

Dressed in their raggedest clothes the two factions clustered outside the House, the Frosh received their cake. There were also two counterfeit cakes. At last, after the Sophs had captured at least two of the "cakes," the real article was successfully borne to the steps and the battle declared over.

CHINESE FIRST MAKING PAPER

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—History of paper, from the time of its invention by the Chinese in 105 A.D., when only a few sheets were made at a time, to the present day, when modern machines turn out hundreds of tons a day, was traced by A. E. Cadman, secretary of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association, during the course of an address here.

The Chinese inventor of paper made his product from tiny mulberry or bamboo fibres felted together on a bamboo screen, the speaker said. The Chinese preserved the process of the manufacture as a state secret and anyone who betrayed it was liable to the death penalty. It was not until the eighth century that the secret was forced out of captive Chinese by marauding Arabs. It was then that the knowledge of paper-making began to make its way to Europe. First passing through Egypt, Morocco and countries of southeastern Europe, the art finally reached Spain in the 11th century.

With the invention of printing the growth of paper-making increased tremendously and in 1494 the first paper mill was built in England. It was in 1690 that the manufacture of paper commenced on the North American continent when a German came to America and erected a mill at Philadelphia. The first Canadian mill was built at St. Andrew's East, Que., in 1803.

Dressed poultry is being packed co-operatively at over 400 points in Canada this season

Colonial Territory, Italy's Demand

DUCE WANTS CONCESSIONS FROM FRANCE

Fulfillment of Promises With Return of Land Taken

ROME. Dec. 24.—"Come across with some colonial concessions," Fascist Italy says succinctly and emphatically to France, as French foreign minister, Pierre Laval prepares for his forthcoming visit to Benito Mussolini.

Italy divides her colonial claims into two divisions: First, return of territory unlawfully taken away from her by Anglo-French agreement; second, concessions in fulfilment of the promise France made in the 1915 treaty of London.

LIBRAN BORDERS

The first heading concerns the southern border of Librya, the colony of which General Italo Balbo is governor.

Italy wants from France at least restitution of the considerable triangle of South Libya cut of by 1919 Anglo-French agreement.

This item, Italy argues, has nothing to do with the compensations she should have received from the London treaty of 1915.

DUE UNDER PACT

Article 13 of the treaty of London established that, in case France and Great Britain received additions to their colonial empires at the expense of Germany, Italy should get equable territorial compensations in Africa.

The German colonies did fall to the lot of France and Great Britain. Then there met in Paris a special colonial commission to determine the colonial compensations to be made to Italy. Negotiations continued for some years.

Britain paid up. She ceded Italy the territory of Jubaland, which became united to Italian Somaliland.

The negotiations with France, on the other hand, have not been concluded.

C.P.R. Liner Wastes No Time In N. Y. Port

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The giant Canadian liner, Empress of Britain, held a record yesterday for a ship of her size. She steamed into port before daybreak and sailed away three hours and 54 minutes later, on a Christmas cruise.

In this time, 240 passengers from Europe got off with all of their baggage. 6,075 bags of holiday mail and $1,000,000 in gold were discharged; 250 new passengers with their baggage got on and provisions and fuel were taken aboard.

The ship was a day late from Europe because of gales.

Sally's All Set

Old Santa will reach Hollywood-land on December 25, just as he will everywhere, as this picture of Sally Eilers, screen star, and her Christmas gifts will show. This year Miss Eilers will celebrate her two-months-old child's first Christmas. The youngster is named Harry Joe Brown, Jr., and it will be some Christmas!

Blame Drink For Blocking Saar Train

LONDON, Dec. 24—A special dispatch to the Daily Herald from Saarbruecen said Sunday reports of an attempted outrage against an Italian military train in the Saar territory have been traced to the arrest of an apparently innocent drunkard along the railroad line Saturday night.

The dispatch quoted French authorities as saying a man who was drunk could not explain what he was doing on the tracks and will be expelled. The manner in which the case is being disposed of by the authorities "would indicate the outrage report is wrong," said the dispatch.

New French Senator

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Deputy Charles Delesalle of the radical left was elected to the senate yesterday to replace Dr. Edmond Theret. Delesalle was a member of Arras.

EXPATRIATES LAND IN SAAR

SAARBRUECKEN, Saar Basin Territory, Dec. 4—The first group of 450 expatristes from North and South America arrived Sunday with free round-trip tickets to vote in the Jan. 13 plebiscite, and were greeted by cheers and weeping from excited Saarlanders.

Twenty-five thousand persons from all parts of the Saar territory jammed the squares in front of the railway station shortly after breakfast and stood there three hours waiting to see the 450 Nazi voters from across the seas.

Bolivia Goes On Conscripting

LA PAZ, Bolivia, Dec. 24—The government today issued a general mobilization decree which includes the conscripts of the 1936 period and the reservists of 1911 and 1914.

FOUR BISON FROM CANADA IN POLAND

Present is the Nucleus of Future Wild Herds

WARSAW, Poland, Dec. 24.—Nation-wide interest has been aroused in this country over Alberta, Manitoba, Acadia and Yukon, Canadian bisons sent here to form the nucleus of a herd that some day will run wild in a national forest. They will be the only North American buffalo existing in a wild state outside Wainwright National Park, Alta.

Elaborate ceremony attended presentation of the four bisons, christened aboard ship as they came here. President Ignacy Moscicki received the animals on behalf of the nation. The presentation took place in the Spala national forest near the president's summer home.

HIDE-BOUND BOOK

The president also received a handsome album bound in buffalo hide, containing the deed of gift, a dedication from Prime Minister R. B. Bennett and other noted Canadians and a history of efforts to bring the gift about. It also contained numerous fine photographs of Canadian scenes, some illustrating success of Canadians of Polish descent in various fields and others of the flora and fauna of the Dominion.

The president, a noted hunter and nature lover, was particularly interested in the pictures of Canadian animals and plants and in the bisons themselves.

BEASTS DO WELL

The beasts are reported by their keepers to be adapting themselves without trouble to their new temporary quarters. After a period of quarantine they will be moved to surroundings similar to those they enjoyed in Canada.

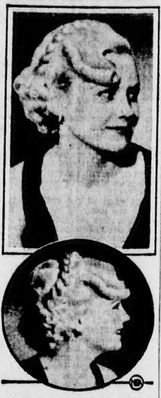
The animals are being tended by capable wardens from the national forest at Bialowieza, who helped to re-establish after the war the only remaining wild herd of European bisons, first cousins to the Canadian buffalo.

After the Canadian animals have become thoroughly established they will be interbred with Polish buffalo to strengthen the Polish herd racially. The Canadian animals are three cows and a bull.

Austria Nearly Balances Budget

VIENNA, Dec. 24. — By strict economy, and without tax increases or salary reductions, Austria has almost balanced its budget, Finance Minister Dr. Karl Buresch announced Saturday.

Pretty Pat Sports Pert Tricky Curl



A tricky new touch in coiffures is this one shown by Patricia Lee of the films as she attended an exclusive club party in Hollywood. It looks something like a biscuit roll across her classic forehead, or one of the old-fashioned corkscrew curls draped fetchingly across the brow. But whatever it is, it's the last word in fetchingness.

Load Of Hay Reported Stolen

"Where was Farmer Grey of the 'Farmer Grey took another load away' fame?" police were asking Sunday when John Sharphead of the Winterburn Indian reserve reported that he had been robbed of 1,500 pounds of Red Top hay.

He drove the load to the city, parked it near the market and on returning Sunday found it had been stolen. Police recovered his sleigh, but it was empty, the load of hay was gone.

Bulgaria has granted a free pass, good for one year, on its railroads to newlyweds in an effort to stimulate an increase of population.

GLACIERS MAY BE CHANGING CLIMATICS

Receding Ice Makes West, North Warmer; Colder In Greenland

ATLIN, B.C., Dec. 24.—The gradual changes in climate conditions that have brought droughts to Western Canada and parts of the United States may be caused by the recession of glaciers in the Canadian northwest and Alaska. The theory is being studied by a committee of the British Association for the Advancement of Science under the secretaryship of Moses B. Cotsworth, F.C.A., F.S.S., of Vancouver and London.

The scientists have found that the warm winds of the Pacific are not only demolishing great ice sheets in this district, but are hollowing out a path across northern Canada on their way east. Formerly they were diverted by ice fields in the north. They passed through southern British Columbia to drop their moisture in rain on the Canadian and United States prairies.

ALASKA WARMER

Now with less ice each year in the north and no mountains to precipitate their moisture, the winds reach the 9,000-foot ice cap of Greenland. The change, Mr. Cotsworth says, seems to be making Alaska warmer and Greenland colder.

GREENLAND COLDER

Meanwhile the Greenland ice cap has grown immensely. It is estimated to be sufficient to cover North America with a layer of ice 50 feet thick. Gravitational weight seems to be very gradually exerting a tendency to move the earth's crust around its central core of the heaviest metals. These gravitational changes, Mr. Cotsworth suggests, may prove helpful in the detection of further climatic changes. The committee has been formed to correlate data and report back to the 1935 meeting of the British Association.

Admiral Dies

WEYMOUTH, Eng., Dec. 24.—Vice-Admiral John Collings-Taswell Glossop, retired, died Sunday. He was 63. The fifth son of Rev. G. G. P. Glossop, vicar of Twickenham, the admiral was married in 1918 to Ethel Alison, the youngest daughter of John McPhillamy of Bathurst, N.S.W. During the Great War he commanded the British cruiser Sydney at the destruction of the German raider Emden, receiving the Japanese Order of the Rising Sun, and was made an officer of the Legion of Honor. In 1921 he retired with the listing of vice-admiral.

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QUICK SEARCH FOR SURVIVORS PLANE PLUNGE

MAZATLAN, Mexico, Dec. 24—Searchers for an aeroplane with seven persons aboard, which fell into the Gulf of California in the flight between Mazatlan and La Paz, lower California, abandoned hope for them Sunday after several hours search.

Two of those sought were Americans, N. Abbott, a pilot, and Noel Bullock, owner of the plane which had been making daily trips between the two cities.

An aeroplane of the Central Air Lines sighted the plane Saturday, partly submerged, 125 miles northwest of here, and the pilot, H. C. Goakes, flew low enough to see the occupants, including a young girl, clinging to the wings.

Belgian Ship In Distress

HALIFAX, Dec. 24—Canada's east coast radio last night reported the Belgian steamship Emile Francqui in distress and asking for assistance 200 miles southeast of Sable Island. A message from the ship stated her rudder had been carried away, but she was not in any immediate danger.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

In extending to its patrons and friends the greetings of the season, the C.N.R. is glad to record a year of improvement over that immediately preceding and to express its anticipation that the coming year will maintain this upswing in business. All Canada is of course interested in the welfare of its railroads—improved conditions for them means improved conditions generally.

But the realization of our hopes depends upon the patronage which the public gives us.

At this season of goodwill, it may be appropriate to suggest that those who are in a position to do so can confer a boon on their fellow citizens by ridding themselves of hampering and groundless fears and be adopting instead an attitude of confidence and co-operation. Let them not be afraid to spend according to their means. In a very real sense every Canadian who consumes, wears or uses anything — and that means everybody—is an employer of labor. Increased use of commodities and services will provide increased employment, and increased employment is the answer to Canada's need today. 1935 will be a happy year if each one does his part to provide more work.

The C.N.R. seeks the goodwill of all Canadians. It looks for, and will strive to merit a greater measure of patronage, a fuller opportunity to be of service. The expenditure of just a few more dollars per head of population, during the coming year, on the services the company provides, will not only be of prime importance to the C.N.R. but will also be of benefit to all workmen and merchants in Canada—it will help to consolidate gains which have been made and will strengthen the impetus towards better times—it will bring an added degree of prosperity and renewed hope to the people of the Dominion.

And it will be a worth-while expenditure because of what the C.N.R. gives—speedy and reliable transportation, courteous and efficient service, reasonable rates and fares all the year round, and special low rates and fares on many occasions, such, for example, as the present holiday time.

Let us, then, have a Merry Christmastide and a Happy New Year.

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B. C. Develops New Ideal Cross-Bred Alfalfa

GRIMM WITH RUSSIAN DON PROVES VALUE

Spreading Root High Seed Yield Combination Is Created

VANCOUVER, Dec. 24.—A new type of alfalfa has been developed at the University of British Columbia through crossing of the Grimm or Ontario Variegated, and the Russian Don strains. It is expected to provide improved pasturage, a thicker stand in the field, to resist cold and show a better growth in shallow soils.

Some further experimentation, at present delayed by lack of money, is required before it can be made available for commercial use.

The problem, roughly, was to develop a type which would combine the high-quality hay and other virtues of the long-stemmed semi-tap root Grimm plant, with the rugged spreading root system of the short-stemmed Don.

QUALITY ESTABLISHED

Dr. G. G. Moe, Professor of Agronomy at the University, states, "We now have strains fixed for spreading root and high seed yield, and have evidence that the project can be carried through to completion with confidence of achieving the results desired." Future study will deal with quantity of yield.

The spreading root, in which the plant sends forth rhizomes or root extensions so that there is practically no limit to its range and hold on the soil, is the chief contribution to pasturage. It will resist trampling and heaving of the land by frost.

MANY YEARS EXPERIMENT

Years of experiment by many men lie behind the new type. On its Don side it is descended from one single plant brought to South Dakota from Russia about 27 years ago by Professor Niels E. Hansen of the South Dakota Agricultural College. Some years later cuttings from this plant were brought to the university here. Plants were propagated from the cuttings, and alongside were grown rows of the Variegated type. No other alfalfa was grown within two miles. Attempts were made to obtain crosses and six plants out of 250 showed Hybrid characters. There followed years of experiment, sometimes with the Hybrids enclosed in cheese cloth tents, sometimes untented. Flowers were manipulated and various other artifices tried.

FINAL SUCCESS

Finally, a plant showing definite segregation as to desired type and having the spreading root system combined with erect stems, was achieved. It is this that the university hopes to make a real contribution to the Canadian farmer.

The work has been attended by the interest of farmers and agriculturists generally, as attested by scores of letters of inquiry, largely from British Columbia and the prairies, which are on file at the university.

COMMUNISTS FACE EXILE

MOSCOW, Dec. 24.—Probable exile faced two prominent former Communist leaders yesterday, Gregory Zinovieff and Leo Kameneff, together with five other members of the Zinovieff opposition group, which for years has been at odds with the policy of the Stalin faction.

No announcement was made as to the probable place of exile, but insufficient evidence had been found against them to order their trial for complicity in the plot which resulted in the death of Sergei Kiroff December 1.

P. A. Zalutski and G. E. Yevdokimoff, also slated for exile, were members of the Leningrad committee of the Communist party before the opposition of the Zinovieff group to the party's plan for socialization became generally known. Another man marked for exile was G. I. Safavor, a journalist and authority on the Far East.

B. C. Accused On Way East Upon "Smuggler" Ticket

VANCOUVER, Dec. 24—Royal Canadian Mounted Police headquarters here said last night the British Columbian wanted in Montreal in connection with an alleged $5,000,000 liquor smuggling ring in Quebec, was en route to the Quebec city.

Abandon B. C. Branch Line

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—The Board of Railway Commissioners has granted an application of the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company for the right to bandon operation of its line from the international boundary near Midway, B.C., to Bridesville, B.C.

The judgment says that since the hearing, statements furnished the board show the total operating revenue on this line for the year 1927, $19,642.63, a net loss of $13,414.80; and for the year 1928, total operating revenue of $19,361.26, a net loss of $20,351.12.

She Holds A Man's Job On The Campus

MISS REBA HUMMEL, Carroll, O., a senior at Ohio State University, is the first co-ed ever to become president of the All-Agricultural council.

The council is in charge of student activities in the College of Agriculture at the university. This position formerly was open to men students only.

HEARST PRESS ATTACKED BY EDUCATORS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A group of New York educationists announced last night they had asked the McCormick-Dickstein committee to investigate what their announcement described as a "campaign of terrorism against teachers" by Hearst newspapers.

In their communication to the committee, which is investigating alleged un-American activities for the House of Representatives, the educationists said:

"Recent occurrences at Syracuse University and Columbia University indicate a campaign of terrorism against teachers in American colleges, universities, schools and even private schools, is getting under way."

The educationists' announcement said their request referred to "the recent Syracuse University 'communist expose' secured by two Hearst reporters posing as prospective university students and by the similar attempt by Hearst representatives to secure information at Teachers College" (Columbia University).

Husband, Wife Die Within 30 Minutes

FITCHBURG, Mass., Dec. 24.—Death separated Mr. and Mrs. George Bersevein, natives of St. Martin, Que., for but half an hour Sunday.

Rosanna Bersevein, 57, died at her home here from the shock of learning that her 63-year-old husband had died at the Burbank hospital 30 minutes before.

In both instances death was attributed to heart disease.

NOTED CLERIC CHARGES U.S. RUINS MEXICO

Father Coughlin Flays Government For Its Actions

DETROIT, Dec. 24.—The Rev. Fr. Charles E. Coughlin charged in an address Sunday that the government of the United States "from Wilson down to our President Roosevelt has aided and abetted the rape of Mexico."

Discussing political and social conditions in Mexico, Fr. Coughlin asserted the Monroe doctrine is "another scrap of paper, for Russia is operating at this hour and on this Christmas eve south of the Rio Grande, teaching and preaching that Bethlehem's story is a myth."

Fr. Coughlin asserted "by armed intervention." President Wilson "placed the butcher Carranza in the president's chair of Mexico."

"It is under President Roosevelt that Josephus Daniels (United States ambassador) who, before the visiting school teachers in Mexico, praised its educational system which I have been forced, in the name of descency and in the name of a lover of little children, to describe to you today," Fr. Coughlin went on.

Previous he charged, "Calles' program is determined to enslave the conscience and the soul of the child."

Primate Stresses Task of Church

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Stress on the church's great task during present times and an appeal for greater concentration on "the central truth of religion," came Sunday from Archbishop Derwyn T. Owen, primate of the Church of England in Canada, in a Christmas message to Anglicans throughout the Dominion. Christmas time, he said, was the period when people came to "grips" with the doctrine of God.

"Amid joys and memories, festivities and re-unions of this time, pause and consider God and something of the immense implications of Christmas in this realm of the being and nature of God," the Archbishop said.

Archbishop Owen became primate of all Canada following the death of Most Rev. C. L. Worrell of Halifax. He was chosen by the general Synod which met in Montreal, September 18, and he will be consecrated in Toronto, December 27.

Saskatchewan Gets Blizzards

REGINA, Dec. 24—Ushered in by a tempestuous blizzard, winter came to South Saskatchewan over the week-end, dropping temperatures for down below the zero mark and recalling Christmas weather of a year ago when the mercury sank to 39 below in Regina.

It was 22 below in Regina yesterday morning and early last night heavy winds blew up another blizzard as thermometers sank under the ten below point. Decidedly cold weather is forecast.

Apart 20 Years, Meet In Hospital

KAMLOOPS, B.C., Dec. 24.—Twenty years ago Charles Schubert, now 64, and James N. McQueen, 70, friends of long standing, went their separate ways. They did not see each other again until they found themselves in adjoining beds in hospital here. They made up for lost time, conversationally.

Of the passenger cars manufactured in the U.S. last year, 40.22 per cent. were of the 4-door sedan type.

Floats Through Air—Greatest Of Ease

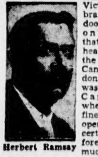
Even the famous "man on the flying trapeze" could take lessons in daring from Daredevil Coindet of Paris, France, the world's champion motorcycle stuntist. Speeding along a curved road at 50 miles an hour he climbs on a framework several feet above the handlebars of his motorcycle. He steers it purely by the balancing of his arms and body. A slip means death or serious injury.

DIGGING UP THE NEWS

By HERBERT RAMSAY

Pathetic glimpse of the decaying Strathcona; a wildly comic experience with Bonar Law which annoyed him considerably but won me rounds of cheers.

Of the Canadians I met in London none interested me so much as Lord Strathcona. In those days the High Commissioner's offices were in a dingy, undignified suite among engineers and other professional men in Victoria Street. A brass plate on the doorway was the only indication that it was the headquarters of the Dominion of Canada in London. The place was a disgrace to Canada, and when the present fine building was opened it was certainly not before time and much needed to offset the bad impression of the old days.



Herbert Ramsay

Few, if any, newspapermen got in personal touch with Strathcona when they were sent down for news; at any rate, not in my day. For the old man was then almost stone deaf and his sight was very poor. He had a most efficient secretary, who would disappear into the back room to presumably ask Lord Strathcona the questions to which answers were required and return in a few minutes with the information. But I have a shrewd suspicion that he merely answered them himself.

In spite of his infirmities Strathcona was an inveterate diner out. He never missed an official banquet of any kind and, of course, because of his position he had invariably to make a speech. These occasions were really pathetic. His voice was weak and nobody two yards away from him ever heard what he said. His rising would be the signal for a buzz of conversation among the guests who carried on their own talks in loud voices, sometimes with gusts of laughter, while the poor old man blissfully carried on, neither hearing the clamor nor seeing the inattention. Sometimes when it grew extra loud the toastmaster standing behind Strathcona in the red coat would frantically "Sh-sh," and signal for quietness. But nobody took any notice and Strathcona never knew. I often wondered if he was puzzled why his speeches were never broadcast. He was a most picturesque looking man with a mass of white hair, white beard and shaggy white eyebrows.

I was also tremendously impressed when during one of the Imperial Conferences I reported Sir Wilfrid Laurier at a banquet. His white hair and beautiful features gave him the appearance of a saint and his voice sounded like one, too.

Sir Robert Borden I reported at a luncheon given in his honor by the Lord Mayor at the Mansion House. Another impressive figure.

It was another famous Canadian who put me in the position one night that comes to everybody some time in life, when one wants to sink through the floor. Bonar Law's meeting in Dulwich Baths during the general election was a night that sometimes haunts me still.

The election campaign had been on some time and the candidates had said almost everything that could be said about the affairs of the day. On this occasion some new point cropped up in the morning papers, and my orders were to report what Mr. Law was sure to say about it, and to ignore the rest of his speech. Feeling his reference would be brief, I arranged to telephone the report to the office, the meeting place being on my way home. Therefore, having just two pennies in coppers, I bought a shilling's worth from a streetcar conductor so as to be sure of having plenty of coins to drop in the box if I needed to renew my lease on the booth.

The building was jammed. The water having been run out of the pool, the people sat on seats along the sloping bottom, the "platform" being the side of the pool at the deep end. The press table was at one side, in front of the nine or ten steps by which swimmers would ordinarily have clambered out of the water. I placed my coat over the back of the chair, ready to sneak out if it should be fortunate enough that Mr. Law would deal with the new point first.

Sure enough, he dealt with it right away. I prepared to leave without disturbing the meeting. Gingerly lifting my coat, I was just about to steal away when, to my horror, having grabbed my coat upside down, every one of those big English pennies tumbled out and began to clatter, clatter down the steps to the bottom of the bath.

The audience shrieked. One by one and in twos those pennies went clackety clack on their way. When I thought they were all down another would appear as from nowhere and rattle over those steps. There appeared to be no end to the pennies and no end to the steps. I stood thereoeTHAROetRFeHMhSH stood feeling unspeakably dismal within, and like the clown of the circus who butts in on the serious act. To make matters worse when I looked across at Bonar Law to see how he was taking it, he stood with his sad immobile face, his hands still poised in argument, waiting for the racket to subside. He seemed to be saying to himself, "What a fool that man is, and what fools those people are to laugh." And the audience was howling with glee. As I had to get some pennies for the telephone, I walked down the steps and scrambled up as many as I could see in a few seconds. Then I ascended and made a quick dive for the door. The crowded audience cheered my "turn" vociferously. I am quite sure Bonar Law did not get as loud a cheer as I did.

To a Scot it was a tragedy to sacrifice a few pennies, but I would gladly have given all I had to have disappeared through the floor.

THREATENS TO SUE POST FOR ALLEGED LIBEL

Richberg Says H. Johnson Items "Character Assassination"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—From a sick bed, Donald Richberg, Sunday, indicated he would stand by a warning to the Saturday Evening Post that it might face a libel suit if it prints a forthcoming series of articles by General Hugh S. Johnson.

"But I did not make the letter to the Post public," Richberg said, "and I am wondering who did."

Richberg, director of the National Emergency Council, and former general counsel of NRA, told the Post he understood it planned to publish articles by Johnson, former NRA administrator, that amounted to "character assassination."

From Okmulgee, Okla., Johnson said Richberg's letter, "Is just a symptom of the ants of conscience in his pants." George Horace Lorimer, Post editor, had no comment other than that neither he nor the magazine gave out the Richberg communication.

Richberg wrote that the Post "may have assumed General Johnson's statement can be relied upon and can be supported by evidence which would be given credence in a court."

"On the other hand," he said, "many of the charges which General Johnson has loosely made in private conversations regarding me and my activities can be completely disproved by documentary evidence and the testimony of a large number of credible witnesses."

"Donald is a high official," Johnson tartly rejoined. "If he thinks there is libel in this narration, why doesn't he stand on his legal rights in a suit for libel and not attempt to use his position to threaten the freedom of the press."

HENDERSON'S MESSAGE ALL FOR GOODWILL

Although 71 years old, Arthur Henderson, former secretary of state for foreign affairs and president of the Disarmament Conference, fights as fiercely as ever for the cause of peace. The 1934 Nobel peace prize winner writes the following Christmas message:

By The RT. HON. ARTHUR HENDERSON

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Christmas is here once more and the peace crisis continues.

Nations are increasing their armaments, though they have definitely pledged themselves to adjust all international disputes by pacific means.

The year now closing has been a period of anxious and exacting labor for friends of peace in every country—a year of difficulties, delays, disappointments and hopes deferred.

The great problem to be solved is how most effectively to give the nations that security upon which confidence and good relationships depend. This is the problem Geneva has been endeavoring to solve ever since the League of Nations came into existence.

One satisfactory result has been achieved. The minds of the peoples in the respective countries have become so impregnated with the vital need for disarmament as an indispensable factor in any effective peace making system, that a return of the pre-war outlook is impossible.

Peace-lovers must carry on their work with courage and steadfastness of purpose. If we do so, we can not fail eventually to achieve mankind's greatest goal, the establishment of world brotherhood, founded in peace, security, and freedom.

Store Burns

SHELLBROOK, Sask., Dec. 24.—Fire which gained a foothold from a kitchen stove completely destroyed the general store of P. Shapiro here Saturday night. Damage was estimated at $50,000. Plucky efforts of villagers who fought the flames in sub-zero weather prevented spread of flames to nearby buildings.

Jack Dale Heard Over CRC Chain

JACK DALE is one of the "Pair of Jacks" heard on the Radio Commission's networks from Toronto on Mondays at 7:45 p.m. His tenor voice is also heard in other programs. Last winter he was delighting Radio Commission audiences from Regina but came East to conquer larger fields.

FOUR HOPKINS WEDDED--TWINS, ALSO BROTHERS

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—Florence and Grace Hopkins, 21-year-old twins, were married Saturday to Carl and Lester Hopkins, brothers.

Carl, who is 24, met the girls on a "blind date" four years ago and for the second date brought Lester, four years older, along. The fact their names were alike was a coincidence, they explained.

Aviators usually see the rainbow as a perfect circle.

MEIGHEN IS HOME FROM ANTIPODES

Senate Leader Encounters New Spirit of Optimism

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, K.C., Conservative leader in the senate, returned here Sunday from a trip to Melbourne with the announcement there were definite indications of economic improvement apparent throughout Australia and New Zealand. Coupled with this was a pronouncedly favorable attitude toward the Ottawa trade agreements, he said. Mr. Meighen represented Canada at the Melbourne centennial celebrations.

New Zealand, particularly, regarded her increased exports to Canada as "particularly gratifying," declared Senator Meighen. Throughout both dominions, however, a strongly optimistic opinion prevailed, he said.

"One of the steps taken to provide aid for the wheat growers has been the imposition of a tax on flour," he explained. "Revenues realized from this tax are used for relief for the destitute farmers who face the year with a crop shortage occasioned by drought and grasshoppers."

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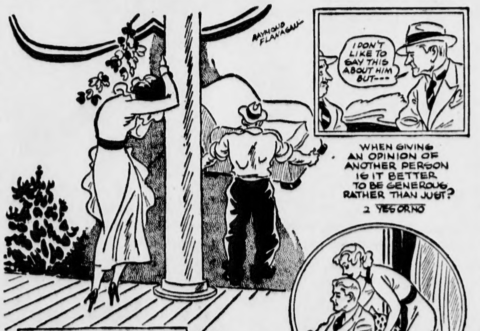
RAYMOND FLANAGAN
I DON'T LIKE TO SAY THIS ABOUT HIM BUT---
1 IN CASE OF DIVORCE IS IT MORE JUST TO GIVE THE FURNITURE TO THE WIFE RATHER THAN THE HUSBAND? YES OR NO
2 WHEN GIVING AN OPINION OF ANOTHER PERSON IS IT BETTER TO BE GENEROUS RATHER THAN JUST? YES OR NO
3 SHOULD A WOMAN BEGIN MARRIED LIFE WITH AN EXTRAVAGANT ADMIRATION FOR HER HUSBAND? YES OR NO
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AUTHOR'S NOTE: These answers are given from the scientific point of view. Not all moral questions can be answered with absolute scientific accuracy, but no decision as to what is morally right is possible without science. Science puts the rights of organised society above the rights of individuals.

1.—Yes, because as a rule women become more attached to their furniture and household belongings than men do. This is not from any natural tendency but simply because they live more with them; more of the precious things of the married life become associated with them; the home means more to the wife because she lives more in it and the very rugs, chairs, table linen, hangings, etc., become a veritable part of her life. Of course this is not true of all women but divorce court proceedings show it is the general rule.

2.—Yes. Unless there is some need to protect some one or the community against a person, a favorable and generous opinion is the only one that is just, since it is the only one which will not unnecessarily injure the person in question, and injury without cause is the highest kind of injustice.

3.—No, she should seek to make a just estimate of him. Dr. Willystine Goodsell, in her able new book, "Marriage and the Family," says: "The woman who begins her married life by an exaggerated admiration for her mate, a constant tendency to look up to him, will probably seek to build her personal life wholly around her husband, making all her thoughts, life interests, purposes and plans center in him. In consequence she will fail to grow into a strong and integrated personality, broad-minded, alert to the varied challenges of social life, and above all, independent. So wholly may she identify her interests and her actions with those of her husband that he may tire and even resent this self-subordination, this constant identification of his wife's life with his own."

Wonders Why Men Jump The Barriers

DEAR MISS DIX.—Will you please tell us why some men remain true to their wives while others are unfaithful to wives who possess every charm and virtue? In spite of much evidence to the contrary, I still believe that there are husbands who are loyal to the women they marry and I want to know WHY.
IRENE.

Answer:

That is one of the things that every woman would like to know and no woman knows for certain. If there were any reliable recipe for holding a husband, the great majority of women would break their necks to follow it and there wouldn't be so many broken homes in the community.

Dorothy Dix

But there does not seem to be any attribute that a woman can have, or any line of conduct that she can follow, that insures her husband's being true to her. We see beauties whose husbands philander with women not half so good-looking as they are. We see husbands wander away from firesides that are kept garnished and swept by wives who are notable housekeepers and cooks. We see brilliant and entertaining women who can spellbind other men, but not their own husbands. We see even Patient Griselda's husband jumping the bars.

So it is no wonder that wives ask WHY are husbands faithful or unfaithful. I think the answer is that men are true or untrue, according to their nature. And some men have a higher sense of honor and loyalty and duty than other men. And this includes wives as well as financial obligations.
DOROTHY DIX.

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Dear Dorothy Dix—How can a man make himself attractive to women?
R. H.

Answer:

By taking as much trouble to be easy on the eyes as women do. By dressing as well as he can and by keeping himself shaven and shorn and pressed and clean. No woman wants to look at a man with his hair hanging over his collar and a stubble of beard on his face and a general appearance of needing to be sent to the laundry.

By being interesting to talk to. By being well read and intelligent. By having a line that doesn't consist of sporting events and baseball and football scores.

By knowing how to do things. How to dance without stepping on a girl's feet. How to order a dinner. How to get the right seats at a theatre. How to meet people. How to take care of a girl. By showing a girl the little attentions that all women love. By observing anniversaries. By remembering her tastes and interests.

By not making love to her the first time you saw her and by not pawing her and making her pay for every date by submitting to familiarities.

There is no way you could interest a girl so much as by acting like a gentleman. It will be such a novelty to her that it will make a hit with her at once.
DOROTHY DIX.

Minute Make-Ups

By V. V.

When you repair your rouge and powder during the evening, especially if you are wearing one of those new high-necked dinner gowns, be sure to tuck facial tissues in the neck of your dress. An ounce of prevention will be worth a half hour's brushing of soiled velvet or satin, not to mention the saving on the cleaning bill.

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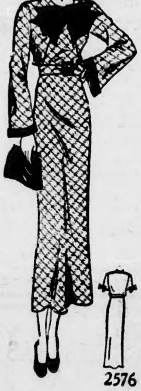

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A BEDTIME STORY

Story by HAL. COCHRAN *Pictures by GEORGE SCARBO*

Old Santa's sleigh was packed real tight, and everything seemed quite all right. He shouted to the Tinies, "Well, I guess I'm set to go.

"But, ere I leave, I think the least that I can do is serve a feast. You tots have worked so hard, you are very hungry, now, I know."

"I'll say we are," cried Duncy. "Gee, a nice, hot meal appeals to me. You'd better eat some food yourself, before skyward you go.

"Of course, right now, you're pretty fat, but you can't always live on that. You should take some food with you. You'll be gone a long long time."

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"Oh, no, I won't," snapped Santa. "I will simply whiz out through the sky. Before you Tinies know it, I will disappear from sight.

"A lot of stops are on my trip, and not a single one I'll skip. Just think of all the little folks I'll bring cheer to tonight."

Then to ol' Santa's dining spot the Tinies went. They ate a lot, and all seemed to enjoy it. Scouty shortly said, "I'm through."

"I must admit it tasted grand." With that, he shook kind Santa's hand. "Our visit here's been wonderful," he shouted. "Thanks to you!"

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"Say, don't thank me," said Santa Claus. "I should thank you tots because you've done real work in Toy Land. Now I'll have to say goodby."

He hopped into his loaded sleigh and instantly was on his way. The reindeers were a pretty sight, spread out across the sky.

"Good luck," cried Windy. "Hang on tight, and I am sure you'll be all right. Remember us to all the little tots around the land."

"You bet I will," came the reply. "And I'll be back here by and by." Then Santa looked back at the Tinymites and waved his hand.

(A toy dog plays a joke on the Tinies in the next story.)

George Scarbo

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(READ THE STORY THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

DAILY TRUE STORY

Just Sound Common Sense

By Llewellyn Bronson

"You are the queerest girl I ever saw," said Aunt Emma Harriman.

She had a habit of putting triple emphasis on every adjective.

Aunt Emma was forty, looked to be thirty and believed in living life to the utmost in a decent and normal manner. She was happily married and had a hobby—which was to see to it that all eligible young people were also — and promptly—happily married.

"On the contrary," disputed Miss Pauline Titherington, aged twenty and niece of Aunt Emma, "I am not at all queer. I am quite normal."

Aunt Emma studied her niece. She looked like her mother, Aunt Emma's older sister. Aunt Emma remembered well when Pauline was born. It was just a month before she was married to Ed. Harriman.

Aunt Emma's cheeks took on a slightly pinkish hue.

"Please don't misunderstand me, dear. I mean, you are so unusual about romance and love. All young people are romantic and go courting. They call it 'petting' now, but it is all quite natural. You fall madly in love with some nice boy. That's natural. You embrace and kiss, and that's natural. And so when my own grown-up niece stands before me and tells me that it's all a matter of inability to control blood pressure and other high-sounding phrases, and that it is camouflaged under the name of love and romance, naturally I say you are queer."

"You know what I mean, Aunt Emma. If a girl controls her emotions, she's a good girl. If she does not, she is a bad girl, by our standards. If she has sufficient control not to cross the imaginary but still very real line, then she is just naturally in love but said to be sensible."

"You talk like a book. I expected you to fall in love with either Charlie Maddern or Oscar Wallace this week and you haven't given them two looks. A girl who does not want to marry is queer, no matter how high-brow you are in your arguments with a lot of biological words I don't understand."

"But I do want to marry. I want to find a nice, steady, sane young man and marry him and have babies and a home and live a nice comfortable life."

"Well, of all things. I give up! I suppose some day you will walk up to some nice young man guest I have and you will say, 'Come on to the minister's, young man. I have selected you for my life mate.' Now could anything be more absurd?"

Pauline gave her loveable aunt a hug.

"Aunty, that isn't absurd at all—it is exactly what I intend to do."

"But—but, good heavens, Pauline, suppose now, for example, that you selected this young man, whoever he might be, and you said that to him and he refused to trot along to the minister's with you? Suppose he said, 'Nay, lady, not for me. I want a girl who is kissable and hugable.' Now what then?"

"The young man I would select would be one with the same ideas as myself. He would quite understand."

"Here stands my niece," said Aunt Emma, with mock mourning, "Miss Pauline Titherington, Spinster."

"Not at all," Pauline disagreed.

The summer was half gone when Donald Anderson came out to the Harriman place for a week-end. Donald was a brilliant, hard-headed factory manager, young for his responsible position. The factory he managed was one of a number owned by a corporation headed by Pauline's uncle. Mr. Harriman was both proud and fond of Don Anderson.

When Pauline met him she studied him carefully, as she did all young men.

They became quite friendly that week-end. Don was to come out to the Harriman place in a couple weeks to put in his vacation. When he did come back Pauline studied him with greater care and Don Anderson seemed to be studying Pauline with considerable care.

They danced a little, rode a lot, played tennis and otherwise killed time pleasantly.

One hot afternoon they were down at the edge of the lake, where it was cool. Couples drifted past in canoes, mostly they were drifting and "petting."

"What do you think of marriage, Pauline?" Don asked.

"As good an institution as we have devised, thus far," Pauline said.

"But so many dive blindly into it—they think they are in love and—and—"

They played tennis and otherwise spent their time pleasantly.

"Go ahead, Don, say it. I quite agree. It is merely youth, passion, due mostly to proximity. One of Nature's subtle tricks to lure the simple-minded and thus carry on."

"Exactly! I've always thought about it that way. I never expected to find a girl who would understand it. This getting married is a mighty serious and important thing. People ought to go about it in a sane, cold-blooded manner. If they permit themselves to be wrought up, which they call falling in love, then they are blinded. Passion, which they call love, certainly blinds one. Now here we are, Pauline, a young man and a young woman, talking common sense. We are young, healthy, normal, intelligent. Instead of going into a clinch and hugging and kissing and getting all—er—disturbed and silly, we discuss matrimony as we might discuss going into partnership in a store or factory together."

"How well you explain it, Don. That is exactly what I believe in."

"Then, Pauline, suppose we plan to marry. You fix the date. Perhaps October would be a good time."

"A very good time. Now first of all, there are finances to discuss—there will probably be children, they have to be supported and educated."

"What a sensible girl! Now here is the way I am fixed, financially."

They talked a couple of hours.

"Oh, yes, Aunt Emma," Pauline said that night as she dropped into her aunt's room, "Don and I are to marry in October."

"At last! At last you fell in love and kissed each other and became normal. I knew—"

"We have not kissed, or hugged, or even held hands. We talked it over like a business proposition, we figured the cost of rearing and educating children, we figured everything all out."

"Good lord!" gasped Aunt Emma.

The second week was nearly gone. Not once had Pauline and Don shown the least sign of affection.

Aunt Emma was disgusted, almost alarmed. She went down to the boathouse this evening in the moonlight to get a shawl she left there. She heard voices. She went softly.

The shawl was spread on the dewey grass and Pauline and Don were sitting on the shawl, clasped in each other's arms. Lips glued together much of the time.

"Don—I—I never knew it could happen to us!"

"Darling—we were wrong about it all—there is such a thing as love, isn't there?"

"Ye-e-e-e-es!" sighed Pauline clasping him closer.

One thing in Aunt Emma's favor, she was never one of those "I-told-you-so" people. She turned around and went softly back to the house. But, good heavens, what a grin she had on her pretty face!

Don't Over-Lubricate Skin, Advises Beauty

By GLADYS GLAD
"America's Most Famous Beauty"

In winter almost every skin needs a certain amount of lubricating oil to keep it smooth and supple. Even a naturally oily skin is apt to get dry and rough if it is not supplied with some softening lotion when it is exposed to rough, cold winds.

However, you may overdo this thing called lubrication, and overnourish your skin with creams, oils, etc. There are skins that rebel against much grease, and, overwhelmed with the task of disposing of an excess of fat, they become blotchy and irritated.

This is especially true of the skin that is inclined to break out in pimples and blackheads, and to have enlarged pores. Older persons usually can stand more cream on their skins than young, for age inclines to make the skin dry and wrinkled. But young faces have more natural oil and should generally leave the task of lubrication to Nature.

To find out if your skin needs frequent oiling or not, allow it to go 24 hours without any sort of cream or lotion. Then inspect it carefully. If it has not become dry and rough, you may rest assured that you can do without much creaming. ˚ fact, your skin may improve by only an occasional application of cleansing cream, allowed to remain on for a few minutes to penetrate the skin, and then washed off with plenty of soap and water. An astringent to close the pores, finishes this process, which may be best for your type of skin.

TOBY WING

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

Perspiring Hands

Bunnie: To correct moist, perspiring hands, bathe them three times daily in a solution of two drams boric acid, three drams borax, three drams salicylic acid, three ounces glycerine and three ounces bay rum.

RURAL DISTRICT HAS U. F. W. A. CONVENTION

MORRIN, Dec. 24—Women from the districts of Big Valley to Munson met in Morrin recently for the convention of the district United Farm Women of Alberta, when Mr. Gordon Forrester, representative of the Hand Hills constituency, was the speaker.

The resolutions committee appointed in the afternoon was comprised of Mr. Marsden of Michichi, Mr. Sharpe of Munson and Mr. Quelch of Morrin. After much discussion the resolution that the next U.F.A. candidate should stand on a distinctly party platform, rather than on the combined U.F.A.-C.C.F. platforms, was carried.

Mrs. W. H. Baldwin of Rowley was elected president; Mrs. P. H. Oliver, Morrin, vice-president; Mrs. A. Hodge, Morrin, second vice-president; Mr. Russell, Rowley, secretary.

At the evening meeting Mr. Forrester spoke largely on matters of social credit. Mr. Quelch was also a speaker at the meeting.

Further discussion of social credit and banking took place at a meeting in the community hall recently when Dr. Cross of Hanna, Mr. Dalla of Hanna and Mr. B. G. Davidson of Morrin led the discussion.

Women in Uruguay now have all the political rights held by men. Uruguayan women will figure in the next presidential elections, March, 1938.

What's What

We have our own home for the first time and we'd like to invite a friend or two to stay over the New Year week-end. Please let me know how such an invitation should be worded. Should a guest be met at the station (less than a mile from the house)?
SUBURBAN.

Answer—A letter inviting a friend to be a house guest out of town over the week-end or longer should specify the time of probable arrival and departure. Usually a timetable, with convenient trains marked, is inclosed in the invitation.

The answer, if an acceptance, ought to indicate the exact train which the visitor intends to take, and also the time of the train by which he or she expects to leave. The host or hostess, or both, may meet the incoming train. If neither can go to the station, another person is delegated to meet the visitor. When the entertainers have a car, it is proper to send that for the conveyance of the expected guest. If not, a taxicab is engaged. The same courtesy is extended when the visitor leaves.

Sidney—Some times it is embarrassing to the young man to have his fiancee with him when he selects the engagement ring, unless he has made an advance arrangement with the jeweler not to have prices mentioned during the selection. It is always possible to get the right size by measurement and to ascertain by questions what sort of ring mounting is preferred.

Good Taste

By Francine Markel

What is "gravy" to others is "sauce" to those of good taste, who never—except possibly in the sanctity of their own homes (if then!)—allow themselves to be seen "dunking" it with or pouring it upon bread. Those who thus eat their sauce lay themselves open to classification by social wags with the yokel who spreads his knife with mashed potatoes the better to keep his peas thereon.

Tomorrow—Playing Your Radio.

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Your Children -

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

Pets are more popular each year as Christmas gifts. If estimates are correct more than a hundred thousand doggies will be tied by large red ribbons to the Yule trees of the land. To say nothing of rollers, choppers, love birds and other feathered strangers.

Cats, Persian, Angora, Manx and garden varieties, will find lodging in new baskets. Monkeys are popular. Aquarium tenants of all manner and kind from guppies to red snails will surprise Henry or Jane on Christmas morning.

O. R. Barton

We've had about everything, I think, in the way of pets except a nicely trained boa constrictor or cobra, which at the moment are included in some of the big shops' catalogs. They say these make great mouse catchers and become really quite affectionate.

SPEAKS ON BEHALF OF PETS

Perhaps we are odd, but we never felt any great loss at being deprived of such affection and would rather have the mice for pets.

But being a friend of most other creatures that live, I feel it incumbent upon me to put in a word here for the new little additions to the family.

The children themselves will be the new masters in many cases, so I say this sotto voce to parents, or rather ask it. Will you please keep an eye on the new baby and make him comfortable?

It is, of course, a splendid idea to say to a boy or girl, "Now here's the puppy you wanted, so see that you look after him right."

And in ecstasy and gratitude they promise, and probably do very well indeed at that.

But every now and then they do forget. They wouldn't be human if they didn't. These are the times that someone has to be on hand to supply the neglect.

NEED DAILY ATTENTION

To keep a little house dog or kitten well, the bed should be in some warm corner away from drafts and cold and damp. Boxes with a bit of blanket make good beds, or the regular pet baskets.

They should be kept clean. Tell the children to shake out the "bed clothes" every day and air them.

Feeding pans should be washed out well with hot water and soap, just as we wash our own dishes for the next meal.

A separate pan for clean water should always be at hand.

When bathed an animal should be kept warm until he is entirely dry.

Birds must be cleaned each day to be well. Cages should not be hung too close to windows on cold days, and always away from window panes at night in winter. Cover cages at night. Keep both seed cup and water cup clean and filled. Don't sacrifice comfort for looks, but get cages that allow the bird to move freely.

Live pets seem to complete a Christmas. They are well worth any little trouble they cost.

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Christmas Pudding Omen Of Good Luck

By MARY E. DAGUE

I hope you are having Christmas pudding this year. You know, according to tradition it casts a magic spell over all who taste it. It is unlucky to eat it before Christmas Day, but each pudding that is sampled after Christmas is supposed to bring good luck for a month. In olden times it was the thing to taste at least twelve puddings — those made by friends if possible—luck for each month of the year. There are a lot of amusing superstitions that you needn't believe in to observe.

Sister Mary

A wish made while swallowing the first spoonful was sure to come true, too, during the year, so the ancients believed. The omissions of the pudding from the Christmas feast used to be considered a bad omen.

AN OMEN OF PLENTY

Bread left on the table when the Christmas meal is over foretells plenty in the household for the next twelve months.

Apples eaten at midnight on Christmas Eve insure health and happiness for the coming year. The apples in mince pies also are symbolic of health.

Mince pie itself has a background as full of traditions as it is of plums. The first mince pies were served at pagan Saxon feasts in pre-Norman days. Pieces of baby pork and bits of the flesh of the wild boar slain in honor of the sun god were baked in a pastry. In the Middle Ages pies of shredded mutton replaced the pork pies. Christian emblems took the place of some of the pagan relics and the crust which held the shreds together was shaped like a manger in commemoration of the manger cradle of the Christ-child.

Spices were used generously in memory of the frankincense and other spices brought by the Wise Men. The spices of today were unknown but pungent sweet herbs took their place.

Mince pie finally became involved in politics and religion and the clergy debated about letting church members indulge in this delicacy of pagan origin. But it survived and many people still believe that to refuse a piece of mince pie at the Christmas dinner means ill luck for the year!

CHRISTMAS CAKE A PANACEA

The Christmas cakes of long ago were known at Yule Douglas or Dow and were made of white flour, of slightly finer quality than usual, sugar and currants, materials used only for special occasions and regarded as luxuries. The cakes were made in the shape of little images of the Madonna and Holy Baby or were round with a crude representation of the Nativity stamped on them.

A piece of the Christmas loaf or cake was kept for a year and was reputed never to become sour or mouldy. It was also highly regarded as a cure for, and a guard against all sorts of sicknesses.

LIBERAL WOMEN WANT SENATOR WILSON IN CABINET

A suggestion to Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King to place Hon. Cairine Wilson in his cabinet in the event of the Liberals coming to power in the next election, was contained in the address given by the president, Mrs. Harry W. Skinner, at the 13th annual meeting of the Ottawa Women's Liberal Club, in the Chateau Laurier recently.

Mrs. Skinner based her appeal on the fact that 52 per cent of the qualified voters of Canada are women and that Liberal women should have a voice now in the formation of the policies of their party.

"We have awakened to the fact that what was considered a sheltered and restricted life in caring for the needs of the home, is really the centre of influence for the whole life of the nation."

WOMEN IN BUSINESS

Senator Wilson, in an able address, referred to the difficulties sustained by the woman wage earner in the past few years, and pointed to the disclosures of the Mass Buying Commission in regard to the clothing trades, in which women were particularly interested.

"Today we hear no criticism that women are usurping the places of men. In the early morning they scrub the floors and stairs of office buildings, or even spend the hours of the night in doing this, and their daylight time leaning over the wash tubs. It has always been a mystery to me why it should be more manlike to sell stockings and pass soda water over a counter than to perform some of the work that requires physical strength.

"It is not many years since marriage was the sole career open for a woman, and perhaps even those men who protest feminine independence, feel relieved they are no longer the objects of such earnest pursuit."

The total production of potatoes in Canada in 1934, according to the preliminary estimate, will be 47,241,000 cwt. from 568,000 acres. This represents 83 cwt. per acre compared with 71 cwt. per acre from 527,700 acres in 1933.

Tomorrow's Menu

BREAKFAST: Chilled apple sauce, sausage cakes, creamed potatoes, cornmeal muffins, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON: Clam broth, tomatoes on toast with cheese, cider jelly with whipped cream, crisp cookies, milk, tea.

DINNER: New England boiled dinner, head lettuce with Thousand Island dressing, floating island, milk, coffee.

Flapper Fanny Says

Every Christmas list is proof that Santa listens.

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Singer From The West

From out of the west went one of Canada's most talented sopranos, Miss Helene Morton, to sing over the Canadian Radio Commission. Early in the season, Miss Morton left Regina for Toronto, and is now a popular artist known to large numbers of radio enthusiasts throughout the Dominion. This is a new photograph especially posed.

Popular Couple Complimented On Silver Wedding

RYLEY, Dec. 24—Mr. and Mrs. A. Stromstad, were honored by their many friends in Ryley and the surrounding district, on Sunday afternoon, when a surprise dinner party was aranged to celebrate their silver wedding anniversary. More than 100 guests were present at the afafir held in the Lutheran dining hall, gayly decorated for the occasion, the table charmingly appointed, was centered with a tiered wedding cake.

A delightful program of music and complimentary addresses had been arranged. A song composed by Mr. Andrew Finsteh was sung by Mr. Kjelby. Mr. Chester Ronning, at whose father's home Mr. and Mrs. Stromstad were married twenty-five years ago recalled early days in Bardo and the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Stromstad have been active in church work and prominent in all district activities. Mrs. Stromstad has been president of the Lutheran Ladies' Aid for a number of years. A chest of Adams silver was presented to them, with also a packet of silver coins.

The Clew of the Forgotten Murder

By CARLETON KENDRAKE

BEGIN HERE TODAY

When **CHARLES MORDEN**, reporter for The Blade, is found dead **DAN BLEEKER**, publisher, employs **SIDNEY GRIFF**, famous criminologist, to solve the murder.

Morden had been investigating the affairs of **FRANK B. CATHAY**, wealthy and prominent, following the arrest of an imposter claiming to be Cathay and accompanied by a girl called **MARY BRIGGS**.

The day following Morden's death Cathay dies of poisoning.

Griff learns Morden had visited the apartment of **ALICE LORTON**, pretty and unemployed. He confronts Alice with **KENNETH BOONE**, accuses the pair of killing Morden, and they are arrested.

MRS. BLANCHE MALONE, for whom **MRS. CATHAY** and **CARL RACINE**, detective employed by her, have been searching, is located. She refuses to answer questions.

Griff and Bleeker go to the hotel where Mary Briggs, now known as Stella Mockley, is staying. They find **CHARLES FISHER**, Cathay's lawyer, there. Fisher questions the girl.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXXVI

THE girl did not look up as Fisher went on speaking. "I want the truth," he said. "I want the whole truth. I want it told without any attempt to spare yourself and I may say further that these gentlemen also want the truth. They, too, are interested in the case and they will be witnesses to every word that you say. If you depart from the truth in the slightest degree I shall see that you are prosecuted and these gentlemen will see that you are prosecuted."

He turned to Bleeker. "That is right, gentlemen?" he asked.

Bleeker nodded.

The lawyer turred back to the girl with the lashing fury of a pouncing cat returning to the attack upon a crippled mouse.

"Tell us," he said, "what happened."

The girl's voice was weak and low-pitched, but came steadily. The words were uttered with tense, nervous rapidity.

"I told the police the truth about one thing," she said. "It was a pick-up. I don't want you to think that I'm the type of girl who falls for a pick-up. I don't ordinarily, but this was exceptional. I don't know how it happened.

"It happened there at the hotel. The man was registered as Mr. Cathay. Frank B. Cathay of Riverview. I didn't know at the time who he was, or even whether he was staying at the hotel. It started as an accident. I brushed against him in the elevator when the cage gave an unexpected start. I apologized, just one of those routine 'Pardon me's.' He said, 'Not at all,' and his fingers closed for a moment about my arm.

"I don't know what it was about the physical contact that thrilled me. It was something. Then his voice had something to do with it. He had a beautiful voice.

"I got off at my floor and he got off at the same floor. I think he was trying to pick me up. I thought so at the time, but I'm free, white and 21, and, after all, I didn't see any reason why I shouldn't pursue the acquaintanceship a little farther if I wanted to. But I wasn't easy. I didn't give him even a glance as I went into my room and closed and locked the door. He got the number of my room and, of course, found out who I was.

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"Then later on, in the lobby before dinner, I saw him again. He didn't seem at all fresh. Didn't seem inclined to take undue advantage of what had happened, but I could see that he was lonely. Apparently he didn't know what to do with himself. He'd read for a while and then he'd throw the magazine away and smoke a cigaret, and then he'd throw the cigaret away and pace around the lobby a little bit. I was reading a magazine. I lived there in the hotel, you know. I presume that's the way you located me.

"I let him catch my eye finally, and gave him just the faintest suggestion of a smile. He came over and we got to talking. He seemed a very fine fellow. The more I talked with him, the more I liked him. I was lonely myself. I'd been going with a steady and he'd stepped out on me. I was on the loose. This man suggested dinner. I ate with him there at the hotel. Then he suggested a ride. He said he had a car parked near the hotel.

"He didn't seem to know much about the town. After a while we stopped at a place and had something to drink. He wanted to take a bottle with him but I was a little bit nervous about getting in an automobile with a new acquaintance and a bottle of whisky, so I talked him out of it. We talked about going to a dance and then he spoke of an appointment that he had—something that he'd come to town to do—so he went back to the hotel to keep his appointment. We were on the way back to the hotel when the officer stopped us because of some traffic violation. The officer smelled booze on the man's breath and then the man started talking back to the officer and the next thing I knew the officer climbed on the runningboard and told us to drive him to police headquarters. He said we were going to be interrogated about some stick-ups of service stations.

"Right away I had visions of my picture being in the paper, and I whispered to this man, 'Remember I'm a hitch-hiker pick-up. You don't even know my name.'"

She paused for a moment and stared pathetically at the attorney, as though begging him with her eyes to believe her.

Fisher, however, remained sternvisaged, and uncompromising. "Tell it all," he said. "Every bit of it."

"That's all," she said. "You know the rest."

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Fisher shook his head impatiently.

"This man had given you a name," he said, "when you met him?"

"Of course," she said.

"What was that name?"

"Frank B. Cathay."

"Did he tell you he was from Riverview?"

"Yes."

"Did you know he cashed a check?"

"Only a small check. I think it was a $50 check. He got some money before we went out."

"And that's all?" asked Fisher.

"That's all," she said.

Fisher turned to Griff, then looked at Bleeker.

"Satisfied?" he asked.

Griff shook his head slightly.

"Neither am I," said Fisher.

Fisher whirled once more to the attack. "Immediately after that," he said, "you left the hotel. You came here. You registered under the name of Stella Mockley."

"Yes," she said.

"Why did you do that?"

"I didn't want to be traced," she said.

"It wasn't your name," Fisher said. "Your real name was the one that you were registered under at the hotel, Edith Nevers. The name, Mary Briggs, that you gave the police was merely an alias you thought up on the spur of the moment. The name Stella Mockley, that you assumed when you came to this hotel, was also an alias."

She nodded.

"And your new-found friend," he said, "was the one who paid the bill."

"No," she said. "I did it myself."

"Don't lie to me," thundered Fisher, "I've told you what's going to happen if you lie. I am telling you that the man who posed as Frank B. Cathay is the one who footed the bill."

She lowered her eyes and regarded the tip of her shoe.

"Isn't it a fact?" Fisher insisted, his forefinger once more pointing at the girl's face.

"Yes," she said in a low voice.

"Ah," he said. "Now we're getting somewhere."

She said nothing, but there was a little shiver that rippled her shoulders.

Fisher sneered.

"You would want to stop there," he said. "You would want us to believe that was all. Now go ahead and tell us all of it. Tell us the sordid part of it. Don't try to spare yourself, or if you do, so help me heaven, I'll have you in a cell before another hour has passed."

"You know the rest," she said in a whimpering manner.

"Go ahead," he said. "Tell it to me. I may surmise the rest or I may know it. That's neither here nor there. You tell me."

"He put me in this hotel," she said. "He told me that it had been just a prank, that he had a wife and that he couldn't afford to have me interviewed by the newspapers. Then after the newspapers came out I knew that he wasn't Cathay at all. The newspapers said he was a pick-pocket."

"You discussed that matter with him?"

"Of course."

"What did he say?"

"He said that the impersonation was entirely innocent," she said, "that he was trying to help a man get a good position. That this person had to have first-class references from Mr. Cathay and it was necessary for Mr. Cathay to sign some sort of a bond. He said that Cathay wouldn't do it. He would give references but he wouldn't give the kind of references that were required, and he wouldn't sign the bond."

"So this man was impersonating Cathay and was going to see that his friend got the job?"

"Yes."

"Who was his friend?"

"I don't know. It was someone he called Frank."

(To Be Continued)

One inch of rain on an acre of land would fill more than 600 barrels of 45 gallons capacity each.

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DINNER PARTY COMPLIMENTS TEACHERS

CAMROSE, Dec. 24—In honor of several teachers residing at the Alice hotel, who are departing for their homes for the Christmas holidays, Mrs. V. Matjeka entertained at a gay dinner party Tuesday evening. Sixteen guests sat around the long banquet table, which was beautifully decorated with huge mauve and bronze mums.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dunlop of Camrose; Dr. Donalda Dickie; the Misses E. A. Hastie, Jessie McKinnon, Ruth Bailem of Vegreville; Genevieve Twomey, Camrose; Mary Jackson of Edmonton; Emily Cleaver of Pilot Bay, B.C.; Hilda Meadows of Hanna; Ruby Laughlin of Vancouver, and Miss Peake of Calgary; Messrs. Bert Groves, Iver Christensen, "Buck" Jones, Camrose, and Jean Cote, Edmonton.

GOOD GAME

"Interviews" is a good game for the party. Interview three people present according to instructions written out before the entertainment, finding out their likes, dislikes, ambitions, etc. Write the information received as if you were a reporter, and send to the one selected for "editor." The papers may then be read, the crowd guessing the name of the one described in the report.

Sonnysayings

By Fanny Y. Cory

Drandpa an' Daddy both gib me a quarter t' finish my Christmas shoppin' wif—— That's a terrible

lot ob money t' carry all at once, with hold-uppers as thick as they says they is——

In the past five years, Japan is estimated to have supplied from 65 to 70 per cent. of the world's raw silk, and China from 18 to 20 per cent.

TROCHU WOMEN CURLERS TO BEGIN GAMES

TROUCHU, Dec. 24—The annual meeting of the Trochu Ladies' Curling Club was held at the home of Mrs. P. A. McArthur on Tuesday afternoon.

The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. M. McArthur; first vice-president, Mrs. G. Hope; second vice-president, Mrs. J. Drew; third vice-president, Miss Patsy Snyder; secretary treasurer, Mrs. C. F. McLachlan. These officers will also form the executive committee.

The following skips were chosen: Mrs. T. Kelly, Mrs. A. Hess, Mrs. J. A. Findlay, Mrs. N. Stewart, Mrs. J. Drew and Mrs. G. Hope.

Games have been arranged for Tuesday and Friday afternoons and Saturday evenings. A schedule will be drawn up for the afternoon games and prizes will be awarded to the rink winning the most games by the end of the schedule. The Saturday night games will be played for curling buttons, the winning team holding the buttons until defeat.

Ten ends instead of eight as in previous seasons will be played this year. The curling fee has been fixed at two dollars.

Another meeting was held Thursday, December 20, for the purpose of choosing the rinks.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS
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Merry Christmas Is Theme of Gay Yolando Cabaret Saturday

"Merry Christmas" rang cheerily through the corridors and ball room of the Macdonald hotel Saturday evening when, in a festive holiday setting of Christmas trees and gay pionsetta wreaths, the special Christmas supper dance sponsored by the Yolanda club was held. Many delightful parties were made up for the affair, of which the proceeds go to aid the Kinsmen's camp. Miss Arael Grant, personality girl at the Strand theatre, danced and sang a happy number, particularly in keeping with the holiday mood of the evening.

Among those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Emery, Miss Gwen Beddome, Miss Dorothy Gibbs, Miss Edith George, Mr. Ken Austin, Dr. and Mrs. J. Fyffe, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morton, Mr. J. McKenzie, Miss M. Sherwin, Miss Isobel Nairn, Miss Marge Williams, Miss Audrey Camroux, Mr. Roy Cotts, Mr. B. Ray Cotta, Mr. B. Dean, Miss Hazel Van Buskirk, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sandison, Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham, Miss Margaret Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. W. Clarence Richards, Miss Marjory McLeod, Mr. J. Laing, Mr. George Bishop, Mr. Joe Dwyer, Mr. Jack Evans, Miss Dorothy Kinney, the Hon. J. Russell Love, Mr. Clarence Campbell, Miss Gladys Bjorge, Miss S. McLean, Mr. Guy McNeill, Miss White, Miss Margaret Stevenson, Mr. Earl Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Calhoun, Mr. Gordon McKenzie of Lethbridge, Mr. John MacDonald, Miss Mae Bedard, Mr. and Mrs. J. Housez, Miss Willa Sandison, Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald.

Mr. Jon Falkenberg, Miss P. Moyes, Mr. Ted Short, Miss T. Mackintosh, Miss Georgina McIlmoyle, Mr. W. Reichert, Miss Kay Prousa, Miss Marguerite Ferguson, Miss Alberta McMillan, Dr. and Mrs. H. R. MacLean, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Wilkin, Miss Audrey Dick, Mr. Wilfred Hutton, Miss Virginia Kesner, Miss Irene Bashor, Mr. Ernie Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ayre, Mr. and Mrs. J. Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Davis, Miss Marie Danes of Victoria, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Patske, Dr. and Mrs. Gerard Chappelle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Farnham Howarth, Miss Betty M. Donald, Mr. Bill Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dinsey of North Bay, Mr. and Mrs. L. McIntosh, Miss Marjorie Whellams, Mr. J. C. Cullen, Mr. Ray Coatta, Miss Lorna Conger, Mr. R. W. Hare.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Sandison, Miss Muriel Keeling, Mr. and Mrs. Werner, Miss Mae Massie, Mr. A. Dunbar, Miss Marjorie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallace, Dr. and Mrs. Fife.

Santa Arrives At Christmas Concert Party

Songs, choruses, recitations and a thoroughly enjoyable Christmas program was presented by the pupils of Garneau United Sunday school in St. Stephen's College on Friday evening. Mr. Gillis, superintendent of the school presided and introduced the young performers for each special feature. The arrival of Santa Claus at the conclusion of the program caused much happiness and excitement.

Opening with the chairman's remarks, the program was as follows: Chorus "Welcome," Misses Coote and Knudson's class; recitation, Mrs. Ellis' class; pantomime, Mr. Armstrong's class; violin solo, Inez Foole; piano solo, Nora Brooks; play, Miss Giffen's class; song, "Holy Child," Miss Giffen's class; chorus, Mrs. Corbett's dept.; recitation, Mr. McLaren's class; piano solo, Mary Brownlee; play, "Christmas Eve," senior girls; song, Mrs. Krull's class; play, C.G.I.T. Girls, Miss Moore and Mrs. Hayes; recitation, Joyce Johannson.

Curling

EDMONTON

Draws for Wednesday, Dec. [illegible]

Allen, bye.
Bellamy vs. Young.
Elliott vs. Smith.
Finlay vs. Robinson.
Haddow vs. Oakes.
Mann vs. Mercer.

A Merry Christmas to All

We look back through the past year with thankfulness for the pleasant relations we have had with all our friends and customers. May the coming year bring happiness to all.

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Highland Dance Awards Made Saturday Eve

Mrs. E. A. Loaring was re-elected president of the Highlands United Church W.M.S. at the meeting at the home of Mrs. Bolton recently. Other officers chosen for the coming year are vice-presidents, Mrs. S. M. Bolton, Mrs. M. R. Cryderman, Mrs. W. A. Atkinson; secretary, Mrs. F. Tappenden; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. C. Down; treasurer, Mrs. J. Perry; Christian stewardship, Mrs. H. Baker, strangers secretary, Mrs. J. H. Smith, associate secretary, Mrs. H. P. Toop; supply secretary, Mrs. S. Shortridge; Mission. Monthly, Mrs. Phillip; temperance and peace, Mrs. Haynes; associate helper secretary, Mrs. J. L. Bond; lit. sec., Mrs. O. W. Cunningham; supt. of circles, Miss Ada Baker; supt. of band, Mrs. E. H. Ward; supt. of baby band, Mrs. K. Smith; pianist, Mrs. J. Perry; press representative, Mrs. Fowler.

Christmas Tree Is Big Event

In spite of the inclement weather, there was quite a good gathering of members and friends of the Royal Society of St. George on the occasion of their annual Christmas tree, which was held in the All Saints Parish Hall on Friday evening. A good program had been arranged by the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, including a very interesting, as well as amusing magic lantern display, singing and dancing, and other items of interest.

Refreshments were served by the women and these were followed by the main event of the evening, the distribution of gifts to the children by that genial old gentleman, Santa Claus, the latter character being ably portrayed by Mr. H. Rowe, who was assisted in his arduous duties by Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Ellis and Mr. A. T. Nixon, while the president of the society, Mr. W. H. Heller, was chairman of the evenings' entertainment.

Following the distribution of gifts to the children the draw for prizes was made by a junior member of the audience and the following were the lucky winners, for turkeys, Mrs. T. Bell, 9834 84 ave.; Mr. P. A. Kent, care of Mrs. Jones; A. Roberts, 11138 97 street; Mary Williams, 9422 94 street; Peggy Bond, 9734 88 ave.; fancy cakes, Miss Vera Bowen, 9627 101 street; five pound box of chocolates, Miss Mildred Muttart, 11415 86 street and Miss E. Andrews, 11644 84 street; box cigarettes, Mrs. Green, 28 Conors Road; box cigars, W. McGruther, 9834 85 ave., and Mr. W. Jullyan, 11151 89 avenue.

Announcement was made of the whist drive and dance to be held on Thursday, January 3, in the Acacia Hall, after which the entertainment closed by the singing of the national anthem.

EDINBURGH CHAPTER AIDS THE BLIND

After the dinner given by the Canadian National Institute for the Blind of the city and country, at the Corona hotel, Friday evening, The Duke of Edinburgh Chapter, I.O.D.E., took charge, Mrs. W. W. Astle, blind convener for the chapter, had charge of the arrangements and helping her were: Mrs. Andy Downes, Mrs. A. Ross McPherson, Mrs. Vic Johnson and Mrs. M. T. F. Laverty, comprising the social committee who were responsible for the enjoyable evening.

Each blind person was given a gift from the Christmas tree, also a bag of candy, made by the chapter members.

Following are the artists who helped to make the evening such a success: Mr. Jack Horler, master of ceremonies; Mrs. Jack Bartley, accompanist, who so kindly played for the dancing; Mr. Ed McGarvey, soloist; Mrs. R. G. Tomlinson, soloist, Mrs. Stewart, accompanist; Mrs. Stuart Roberts, soloist; Nolan Henderson, violinist, Miss Thelma Moyes, accompanist; Jack Strachan, character skits; Walter Sorenson, piano soloist, blind; Jackie Ireland and Eleanor Misner, novelty dances and songs, of the Cameron School of Dancing. These kiddies made quite a hit with the blind people.

A novelty number was a "spot dance" held for the blind people and the lucky person won a prize donated by the Castor studio.

Mrs. H. C. Dalgleish, Regent of the Duke of Edinburgh Chapter, I.O.D.E., and Mrs. W. W. Astie, blind convener for the Chapter, were guests of the Institute at the banquet.

Engagements

The engagement is announced of Miss Beatrice Miller of Vancouver, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller of Edmonton, to John Henry Haywood, of Vancouver, son of Mrs. Haywood, of 698 Spedina Avenue, Toronto and the late Mr. George Haywood. The wedding will take place in Vancouver on February 6.

WORDS

No words are lost.
Bright words are shields, high-tossed
Against the weariness of this poor world;
Strong words are spears, high hurled
Against the wall of life's most feared defeat—
Oh, still, my words, be fleet,
Be gay, be gold and silver, white and red,
Be trumpets and be songs till I am dead.

MARGARET WIDDEMER

Christmas Prophecy

By Helen Welshimer

LONG, long ago the Magi came with trophies
To pay their homage to an infant King.
The vanished years saw shepherds in Judea
Find magic light, and pause, remembering
That there would be a sign that early morning
When One would come with balm for weary scars,
A donor of new hope, gay love, warm shelter,
Who came to earth attuned to Christmas stars.

THE prophecy of peace has never vanished;
It sings its way through blur of martial drums.
Good will to men is more than myth or fancy;
There are so many kindly ways it comes!
Where stockings hang, gift-filled, and dreams are mended,
Where fires, long dull, glow high and true again,
Because we shared, an echo finds fulfillment:
"Peace on earth, good will once more to men!"

the social round . . . .

NOW 34 years of the twentieth century have nearly passed by. And what dramatic changes, what drastic revolutions we have witnessed over, that span of years. When considered in connection with Christmas, perhaps the change is even more impressive.

Let us imagine an individual who has been out of touch with civilization for the past 30 or more years arrives in your city just in time for our 1934 Yuletide celebrations. Can you imagine his emotions upon entering a big city like Montreal, Toronto, Halifax, Edmonton or Vancouver on Christmas Eve? Could you wonder at his amazement, at him rubbing his eyes at the vast array of inventions and innovations that have swept the world in that period of years.

For no longer must we await the slow, uncertain means of horse-drawn vehicles. Fleet trains, automobiles, airplanes and ocean liners speed across land and sea bearing with them gifts for loved ones. And while letters still play an important role at Christmas, speedy telegraph and cable services aid us in the dissemination of messages, money and flowers.

Even the old gramaphone has been superceded by the radio which brings us music, Christmas greetings and other messages from the world over as the vast networks of every great nation are linked together at this festive season.

Our imaginary friend would find civilization no longer isolated by great distances but rather united into one in the celebration of the birth of Christ.

"Peace on earth, good-will toward men," has a vastly different and enlarged meaning today.

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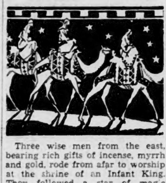
CHRISTMAS CAROL

Ah! dearest Jesus, Holy Child,
Make Thee a bed, soft, undefil'd,
Within my heart that it may be
A quiet chamber kept for Thee.
My heart for very joy doth leap,
My lips no more can silence keep,
I too, must sing with joyful tongue,
The sweetest ancient cradle song.
"Glory to God in highest Heaven,
Who unto man His Son hath given",
While angels sing with pious mirth
A glad New Year to all the earth.

—MARTIN LUTHER.



Three wise men from the east, bearing rich gifts of incense, myrrh and gold, rode from afar to worship at the shrine of an Infant King. They followed a star of magic brightness, leading them across the vast and lonely track of the desert. Was He a King? They thought so, and their gifts were those chosen for a King. Above a stable in little Bethlehem the star stood still, and its radiance illuminated the poverty stricken surroundings. The quiet little inn, locked against the eastern night, and locked, oh fatal memory, against the King of Kings. Cattle, brought in from the fields stood quietly, where there, the Chirst Child was born. But they were wise men from the east, and they doubted not His Kingliness. Before Him they knelt and worshiped, and looked with wonder upon the baby whose heedless touch knew not then the rulership of all the world. He was the Son of God. He is the King of men.

Anthems of the nativity told this story, and the beautiful old story of the shepherds in the fields, the great light from heaven and the angel chorus, in all the churches on Christmas Sunday. Music heralding the nativity since time first marked His birth, lives again at Christmastime, and it is one of the loveliest notes of the season that carols and Christmas music the world over hail the birth of Jesus. Choirs in the churches excelled themselves on Sunday for this special Christmas music, that gleams through all the mundane rush and bustle with the story of the Light of the World. On one little card, came the message "The whole world is akin at Christmas", and is not this the reason? Over the air, and in every home, singers again carol the beautiful story of that first Christmas—E. R. B.

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Their Excellencies the Governor General and the Countess of Bessborough entertained the children of St. Bartholomew's Sunday school at a Christmas party at Rideau Hall, Ottawa, last week.

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Their Excellencies the Governor General and the Countess of Bessborough will receive the guests at the Opening of an Exhibition of Contemporary British Painting to be held on the evening of Thursday, January 3, by the trustees of the National Gallery of Canada. Invitations have been issued.

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Mrs. William Mustard entertained at a children's party at her residence in Glenora on Saturday afternoon for her young son Billy's sixth birthday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Oppertshauser have issued more than one hundred invitations to a reception at their house on First Avenue in celebration of their silver wedding anniversary, on Tuesday, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Oppertshauser were married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer, north of Edmonton, by Rev. Emil Eberhardt.

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Miss Josephine Connelly entertained at tea at the Macdonald hotel, Sunday afternoon, in honor of Miss Dora Fry, whose marriage takes place New Year's day.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Greenberg are leaving shortly for the east where they will spend the New Year with friends.

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Pupils of Mrs. A. B. Greenberg enjoyed a studio piano recital on Saturday afternoon when those taking part were Florence Weinlos, Fanny Dolgay, Yvonne Olsen, Jeanne Olsen, Annie Matkovich, Lena Matkovich, Lila Oakes, Norma Smith, Ruth Shragge, Kathryn Banford, Vera Pyrca, Thora White, Ruth Williams, A.T.C.M.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Scott went to Calgary Sunday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harry Scott for Christmas.

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Miss Margaret Evans has gone to Calgary to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Evans.

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Miss Marion Aitkenhead has gone to Calgary from the University to spend the holiday season with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Aitkenhead.

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Miss Mildred Hobson is spending Christmas in Lamont, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hobson.

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In compliment to Miss Alice Gudmunson, whose marriage to Mr. Cecil Foster of Calgary is arranged for Wednesday, December 26, the staff of the Royal Alexandra Hospital entertained at a delightful shower in the Nurses Home at the week end. Many gifts were received by the bride elect from the guests who were Miss Nancy McNabb, Miss Mary Miller, Miss Rachel McKone, Miss Hettie Bell, Miss A. Stadman, Miss Helen Danard, Miss Mabel Anderson, Miss Jean Wilson, Miss Alice Cook, Miss Kate Morrison, Miss S. Anderson, Miss Florence King, Miss Violet Hill, Miss Nan Stott, Miss Hilda Clark, Miss Hazel Hill, Miss Amelia Mann, Miss Manda Johnson, Miss Christiana Swan, Miss Helen Ward, Miss Margaret McKillop, Miss Mary Clausen.

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Of interest is the engagement announced today of Beatrice Miller of Vancouver, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Edmonton, to John Henry Haywood, of Vancouver son of Mrs. Haywood, 698 Spedina Avenue, Toronto, and the late Mr. George Haywood. The wedding will take place in Vancouver on February 6.

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Mr. John Chalmers, of Winnipeg, is spending Christmas in Edmonton, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Niddrie.

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Miss Jean Graves and Miss Helen Jacques, of Calgary, will spend Christmas and New Year with Miss Esme Fraser, at her home in Winterburn.

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Important among social functions being held during Christmas week in Calgary is the annual Varsity ball which is attended by members of the Alumni and their friends, as well as those at present studying at the universities. This year this delightful affair will be held on Friday evening in the Palliser hotel, when Mrs. W. L. Walsh, wife of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Mrs. Andy Davison, wife of His Worship the Mayor; Mrs. R. C. Wallace, wife of the president of the university; Mrs. F. Wyatt of the faculty, and Mrs. T. A. Link have graciously consented to act as patronesses.

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Bill and Tom Connelly have arrived home from Campion college, Regina, to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Connelly.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Desjardins and their sons, Frank and Jo, left Saturday over the C.N.R. to spend the Christmas season with relatives in Port Arthur.

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Mr. Harry Pickard is spending the holidays with friends in Calgary.

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Mr. Angus G. Osborne has gone to Calgary from the University of Alberta to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Osborne.

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Mrs. W. T. Hobson, of Calgary, motored to the city on Friday, accompanied by Mr. Stanley D. Skene to meet Mr. Hobson, who has been a business visitor here. They returned to Calgary Saturday evening, accompanied by Miss Phyllis Wright, who will spend the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Hobson.

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Mrs. Reginald Kirkpatrick has arrived from Calgary to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mackie for Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. M. W. Wilkinson motored to the city Saturday from Calgary to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alan McClean.

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Miss Bertha Pilling, of Brandon, Man., is spending the Christmas season with her sister, Miss N. Pilling.

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Miss Elaine Austin has gone to Edson to spend Christmas with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Austin.

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Miss Lila Rockwell and Miss Alice Brown have gone to Calgary to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heartz Bell.

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Mr. Arthur Petley Jones has arrived from Calgary to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Petley Jones, and will go after Christmas to Hughenden, Alberta, whire he will reside in the future.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dryden left on Friday for California where they will spend several weeks.

Highlands Elects New Officers

Results of juvenile dancing competitions sponsored by the Caledonian Society in All Saints hall Saturday are as follows: Highland Fling, Doris Hollands; 2, Jessie Stewart; 3, Betty Cairney. Shean Trubhas, 1, Doris Hollands; 2, Jessie Stewart; 3, Betty Cairney. Judges, Mrs. P. C. Shemper, Mr. D. Foster, Mr. W. Ramage.

Mr. P. G. Thomson, K.C., presented medals. Miss Annie Reid gave a reading and Mr. T. G. Jones sang. Pipe-Major J. Shirlaw and Jack Blewett played for the dancing competition and Mr. D. Anderson as chairman announced a Hogmanay dance at the I.O.O.F. temple at 95 street and 112 avenue. Mrs. A. Stewart served refreshments. Mr. E. Hunter was master of ceremonies.

Patroness For Alumni Festivities

MRS. R. S. SHEPPARD, wife of the principal of Strathcona High School, who has graciously consented to lend her patronage to the annual Christmastide dance of the school alumni. Other patronesses will be: Mrs. Joseph A. Clarke, and Miss Ruth Cushing. The affair is to be held in the Macdonald hotel on Saturday evening, December 27, and will draw a large number of former students. It is always an occasion for an especially happy holiday program.

The Season's Greetings

To you who have helped make our year a pleasant and more prosperous one we send our deep felt thanks and a word of appreciation in this Christmas greeting.

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Designers Put Accent On Youth

PARIS, Dec. 24—Judging by the new collections just shown to the public, the couturiers have adopted the slogan, "Off with the old, on with Youth."

Women's resentment against anything that suggests age has forced the designers to abandon many little features, some of which seemed insignificant when shown last August, that have been stigmatized as "old." The result—new clothes, smooth, simple, subtly young and extremely wearable.

Skirts remain slim. Inverted pleats at the back or front or both allow for walking freedom. Afternoon dresses are slit on either side when they are not sufficiently full for comfort. There seems to be a tendency to emphasize the hipline. This is done with amusing pockets that stand away from the silhouette like miniature paniers.

Beauty of material is stressed to an even greater degree than before and there are some beautiful off-shades in the new afternoon gowns that bring relief to a feminine gathering when the ubiquitous black coat is removed. Beige in the deep cream and rose shades is smart; so is coral and lacquer red.

Molyneux shows some charming, albeit extremely simple, afternoon dresses in a new heavy crinkled crepe in these new shades. Accent is placed on the neckline and bodice, both very supple. Shirring and tucking is the main form of trimming on both dresses and jackets.

The loose swagger or box jacket is still featured at Schiaparelli, Creed, Molyneux and Maggy Rouff. Fitted bolero jackets with an amusing back flare strike a newer note. There is no set length for coats and jackets. They vary from the three-quarters, finger-tip and hip-length to the little wrap which barely reaches the hip-bone.

Schiaparelli shows some new interpretations of the parachute and cone effects, less sharply accentuated perhaps than in her August show. Her afternoon coats, in a new "feather" wool which she launches, have deep fichu-like collars that tie in a soft scarf effect in front. Complemented by her new hats which are variations of the poke bonnet, some even tying under the chin, and all worn off the forehead, the new silhouette is romantically modern.

Linen lace and a new tulle which is called "Cosmic" indicate that both these mediums will be featured in the spring showings. The new colors are "Encre de Chine," a deep, deep blue; "Mango," an equally deep orange; "Horizon" blue, and a new range of browns, from dull leaf to "Ginger."

MAGGY ROUFF USES SATINS

Shirred motifs decorate bodices, armholes, yokes and pockets on Maggy Rouff's formal afternoon gowns. She uses a great deal of satin in black, a light navy and some light and dark beiges. Skirts are simple, bias-cut. Sashes are also featured, usually tying in front or on the side. Informal jacket ensembles—as popular as ever it would appear, have easy fitting or straight jackets. Some skirts, wrap-over, button on the left hip at the back with three large buttons.

In the jacket ensembles, the monotone color scheme vies with the plain dress and fancy fabric jacket for favor. Stripes or tweed weaves for the more dressy numbers, or large checks or plaids for the sports clothes are smart.

Ardanse as usual shows some beautiful hostess gowns in sheer velvet and tulle combined with lace. An outstanding creation is a tulle evening frock, black, with a decidedly full panniered skirt which seems to indicate a new trend in the evening silhouette, and is evocative of the peg-top dress of hobble skirt days. Tunic effects are favored by this creator with great success.

"BEFORE THE PALING OF THE STARS"

Before the paling of the stars,
Before the winter morn,
Before the earliest cockcrow,
Jesus Christ was born;
Born in a stable
Cradled in a manger,
In the world His hands had made,
Born a stranger.

Priest and king lay fast asleep
In Jerusalem,
Young and old lay fast asleep
In crowded Bethlehem.
Saint and Angel, ox and ass,
Kept a watch together
Before the Christmas daybreak
In the winter weather.

Jesus on His Mother's breast,
In the stable cold,
Spotless Lamb of God was He,
Shepherd of the fold;
Let us kneel with Mary, maid,
With Joseph bent and hoary,
With Saint and Angel, ox and ass
To hail the King of Glory
—Christina G. Rosetti.

COOKING VEGETABLES

Proper cooking of vegetables is important. Putting them on to cook in boiling water and cooking them just until tender, not a second longer, are the first rules to retain the maximum amount of health value. The food loss is proportionate to the amount of water used—the more water, the greater loss of mineral salts and vitamines, therefore, use a small portion of water in cooking.

Cutting the vegetables into small pieces also results in greater loss of food value.

Carrots, cabbage, turnips, cut into thin strips are tasty uncooked, and where the budget includes few fresh fruits and only a small portion for salads, they are especially valuable in the diet.

EATON'S
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School Concert Is Successful

TURNIP LAKE, Dec. 24—Turnip Lake school was the scene of an excellent Christmas concert on Thursday evening, Mr. Horricks, chairman, thanked Mrs. Crawford, teacher, and her pupils for the splendid program they provided.

Santa arrived and distributed lovely gifts to children and teacher from a gaily decorated Christmas tree.

The women of the U. F. W. A. served coffe and odughnuts, which were greatly enjoyed.

SUGGESTIONS FOR ARRANGING HOUSE BOUQUETS

Since most flower lovers spend hours during winter days arranging bouquets for decoration in different parts of the house, here are a few rules or suggestions which may help to bring added charm of result.

Avoid symmetrical lines; flowers should look comfortable and not crowded; use containers that hold sufficient water to nourish the flowers; when a variety of flowers are used in the same arrangement, use those of different shape and formation and contrasting colors that produce a harmonious effect.

Never attempt to place more than one flower or spray at a time, doing the necessary trimming of the stems after you have decided just where a blossom of that particular color and size will look best in your bouquet.

Stand back from your work and judge the effect; you will find that distance does not always lend enchantment.

Do not use more flowers than you need because you happen to have them. Make another bouquet, or give them to someone else.

WHAT TO BUY FOR SISTER

Sister wants everything, from an evening gown and fur coat, diamond ring with matching earrings and bracelet, to powder puffs which may be bought at the dime store A container of soft cotton puffs, by the way, is very useful, especially when sister entertains a bunch of girl friends. It sits on her dressing table and the girls help themselves to clean puffs. She also wants silk stockings, perfume, toilet water, atomizer, silk lingerie, evening slippers and gloves, fur lined driving gloves, sweater sets, pajamas, both sleeping and lounging; dresser set, traveling bag, overnight bag, beauty aids—creams, dusting powders, face powders, in her favorite scents —sachets to perfume her clothes, books, pictures for her room, vases, china tea set, linen bridge sets for entertaining, silver tea service, silver spoons or odd pieces of silver, jewelry—a ring with her birth stone is nice, in case she doesn't have it. Pillows for her room, couch throw, fluffy blanket.

Club Activities

CENTRAL AUXILIARY ELECTS OFFICERS

At the regular monthly meeting of the Evening Auxiliary of Central United Church, held on Wednesday evening, the following officers were appointed for the coming year: honorary president, Mrs. A. D. Youmans; president, Mrs. E. A. Stonehouse; vice-president, Miss Paskins; secretary, Mrs. O. C. Willson; treasurer and expense treasurer, Miss J. McWilliam; Christian stewardship, Miss L. Lord; mite boxes and associate helper, Mrs. J. Torrance; literature and press secretary, Mrs. I. P. Dickie; supply secretary, Mrs. E. Carmichael; watch towers, Miss E. Parsons; program committee, Miss L. Bailey and Mrs. R. Cook; Missionary Monthly secretary, Mrs. R. L. McLeod; pianist, Mrs. L. D. Cherry; peace and temperance, Mrs. A. D. Youmans.

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CHRISTMAS MEETING HELD BY EASTWOOD

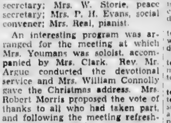
At the annual Christmas meeting held by the Women's Missionary Society of Eastwood church, election of officers was conducted with Mrs. Anna Mills re-elected president. Others on the executive are Mrs. W. E. Thompson, first vice-president, Mrs. H. Wilson, second vice-president, Mrs. F. Freeman, recording secretary, Mrs. H. I. Ross, corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. Gibb, treasurer; Mrs. Thomas Mors, baby band secretary; Mrs. Wray, associate helpers secretary; Mrs. Symington, mite box secretary; Mrs. W. E. Thompson, temperance secretary; Mrs. W. Storie, peace secretary; Mrs. P. H. Evans, social convener; Mrs. Real, pianist.

An interesting program was arranged for the meeting at which Mrs. Youmans was soloist, accompanied by Mrs. Clark. Rev. Mr. Argue conducted the devotional service and Mrs. William Connolly gave the Christmas address. Mrs. Robert Morris proposed the vote of thanks to all who had taken part, and following the meeting refreshments were served.

Calendar

Loyal Star Lodge No. 10 meeting Wednesday at eight p.m. in the Labor Hall. Christmas tree after

The Debunker


YOU CANNOT READ CHARACTER OR DESTINY IN STARS

It probably is a disappointment to many people to know that science has never found any evidence to support the idea that the stars have any influence over our character and destiny. No school of science gives courses in reading the stars, and the "art" is practiced by many uneducated people whose superstitious natures compel them to believe in such things

Why Santa Learned to Fly

By Helen Welshimer

I

HAVE you ever heard why Santa Claus
comes
In a red airplane with his dolls and drums?
Why he loosed his reindeer and sent them
back
To the cold North woods and then stowed his
his pack
In an airplane's cockpit and gave a shout,
To his helpers that he was starting out
And he'd only stop
At a chimney top,
And drop with a parachute?
That for quite sometime
It was a hard climb
In his toy-lined Christmas suit?

II

SANTA, you see, isn't young any more.
For nineteen hundred and thirty-four
Christmases he's been bringing toys
To good little, bad little girls and boys.
Since he's been growing some fatter each
year,
The jolly old man had a secret fear
That the candy canes,
Balls, tops, hoops, trains
Might break if he chanced to slip
Not being spry
He decided to try
Aircraft for his annual trip.

III

CHINA, Japan, Holland, Spain, and Peru,
Make a pretty long stretch for a lone
man to do.
Santa grew frightened for fear he would be
Late with deliveries and children would see
His sled, so he purchased the bright new
airplane,
That skims through the moonlight or snow-
light or rain.
Santa has reckoned
In half a second
He climbs down a chimney, climbs up
Without ever waking
The children or breaking
A peppermint stick or a cup!

W. I. GIRLS DO LARGE AMOUNT OF CHRISTMAS CHEER

Christmas activities with their share of giving occupy the members of the Women's Institute Girls Clubs throughout the province, and in the most recent account it is reported that the Calgary Corner club will give candy filled paper cups to the children in the Red Cross hospital. They are also planning a gift exchange among members for their next meeting. A paper on the League of Nations and demonstrations of knitting were on the program at their last meeting.

Sundre: The Merry Westerners are raffling a doll to raise special funds.

West Garden Prairie: Papers on Japan, ornamental gardening and Clarke Gable, were enjoyed at the recent meeting, all members taking part in the discussion.

Harrington: Dorothy Johnson is secretary of the newly-organized "Lucky Star" club, which is planning a dance for December.

Milk River: Garden Hope club heard papers on "The Flags of Our Country," and kindergarten schools at their recent meeting.

Sedgwick: Members are raffling a Christmas cake The club magazine has been ordered.

Amisk: Amisk Sunbeam club welcomed Margery Maxwell and Mabel Merchant as new members at their last meeting. Mrs. Ferguson is the new supervisor and the guest speaker recently was Mrs. Redman of Hardisty.

Picture Butte: Clothes have been donated by members and will be distributed among needy families at Christmastime. A card party is planned by the club for January.

Irvine: "The Peppy Pals" were organized in November, with Ruth Cook as president. Chocolate cake baking was demonstrated at their last meeting.

Barons: A Christmas party and gift exchange was arranged by the East Garden Prairie club at their last meeting. Such subjects as nature, citizenship, home, humor, and motor car rules in 1912 made the program at the meeting most interesting.

Jasper: Marjorie McGuire is the new president of the Conifer club at Jasper, which has donated money for Christmas cheer

Edge Hill: Club members enjoyed a banquet held at the home of Mrs. E. Ronneberg in December.

Thorhild: Members exchanged gifts at the last meeting and donated $3.50 for Christmas cheer.

Claresholm: The sum of $10 was realized from the raffle of a sewing table held recently. Madeline Berg is new president of the Blue Birds club here, and married members are re-organizing into a club of their own.

Waskatenau: Miss Bessie Langford is new supervisor of the Waskatenau club, which is engaged at present in doing Christmas cheer work.

Hussar: A mother and daughter entertainment is planned by this club, which also held a most successful dance, and presented a play recently.

Czar: Junior members plan to entertain the senior group at their next meeting. The November meeting netted the club $5.00

Cluny: Members are collecting toys to be distributed for Santa Claus entertainments at Christmas. A play is scheduled for their future program and also a mother and "girl friend" party.

Hughenden: A Christmas gift was bought for a boy in hospital, and a quilt will be raffled by the Cheerio club at their Christmas concert

Burdett: This club made $28.00 at a recent dance and cushion raffle and presented a wedding gift to June Ostrum prior to her marriage.

Millet: Mrs. R. E. Woods and Mrs. Fulcher, district convener, were guests at the recent meeting of the Gold Diggers' club.

Vauxhall: Isobel Heck is new president for the year for the Vauxhall club.

Coaldale: Members will enjoy their New Year's party after activities in collecting and sending children's toys with supplies out to families in Saskatchewan.

Spring Coulee: At the old-time dance held recently the club made $18.00. Badminton racquets and a basketball are being purchased.

MEAT LOAF WITH BANANAS

One pound round steak, one-fourth loaf bread, salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, one-half cup buttered crumbs, four bananas, one cup rice. Grind the meat. Cover the bread with cold water for five minutes; press between the hands, then add the meat; add the seasoning, and shape into a loaf; rub pan with drippings, and put in the meat. Sprinkle with buttered bread crumbs. Bake in a hot oven (425 degrees Fahrenheit), for 35 minutes. Baste with butter dissolved in water. Serve on a platter bordered with boiled rice and baked bananas.

The Housewife's Idea Box

TO STRETCH KID GLOVES

Most every one finds it difficult to put on new kid gloves for the first time. To make this easy, take a slightly damp towel and place the gloves between its folds. Leave them for some hours. The dampness stretches the kid and you will find it easy to put them on. Sprinkle the inside with talcum powder.

At the beginning of 1934, France led all European countries in registration of motor vehicles, with a total of 1,881,885. England was second, with 1,701,076 registrations

HOLIDAY TREAT IS GIVEN TO CHILDREN

A very enjoyable court whist party was held in the Buffaloe hall, Alberta Avenue, on Friday evening, when the whole proceeds were donated towards giving the children a Christmas treat. During the evening a draw for turkeys took place with the winners Mrs. Gray, Miss Kiss, Mrs. Hind, Mrs. Linford, Mrs. New, and Messrs. Pringle and Mason.

The result of this evening's work will mean a very successful party for the children during the next week.

CHOCOLATE MINT FREEZE

One and one-half squares chocolate, two-thirds cup after dinner mints (about 10 cents worth), one-half cup milk, two egg yolks, one and one-half cups heavy cream Melt the chocolate over hot water and gradually add the crushed mints and milk. Pour slowly over the beaten egg yolks, return to heat and stir until smooth. Let cool and fold into the whipped cream. Freeze without stirring. When serving sprinkle finely ground nuts over the top. Serves six.

In Turkey a law prohibits beauty prize winners from teaching school.

D. D. Forty Club Holds Banquet

Christmas merriment reigned at the banquet and bridge which is one of the major social functions on the annual social calendar of the D. D. Forty Club, held in the Corona hotel recently. Miss Helen Deeton, whose marriage to Mr. Charles McCleary of Camrose will take place this week, was a special guest of honor, with Miss Majorie Teetzel, a new member.

Alight with candles, and gleaming with all sorts of tinsel baubles, the Christmas tree in the banquet hall was the centre of attraction, and streamers and other Christmas decorations added to the festivity. Dolls dressed by the club members were taken from the tree and sent to the fire hall to be placed in the many cradles made by the firemen this Christmas, for Santa Claus surprises for many children.

A charming wedding gift was presented to Miss Deeton, who has been one of the active members for several years. For bridge, honors were won by Miss Lillian Chapman and Miss Anna MacRae. Mrs. L. Frith won the lucky draw.

The guests present included Mrs. Edith Edwards, Mrs. L. B. Yule, Mrs. Frank Turner, Mrs. L. G. Frith, Mrs. O. Whitby, Mrs. Stanley Ross, Mrs. K. Purdy, Miss Jean Sinclair, exchange teacher from Owen Sound, Miss Edythe Torrance, Miss Alberta Bell, Miss Anna MacRae, Miss Annie Roberts, Miss Bessie Campbell, Miss Christine Sutherland, Miss Daisy Johnson, Miss Doris McAvoy, Miss Dorothy Bramley-Moore, Miss Edith Dickson, Miss Edna Goettsch, Miss Ethel McKenzie, Miss Eleanor Matthews, Miss Evelyn Simons, Miss Floy Hill, Miss Gwen Pecknold, Miss Hazel Walker, Miss Helen Deeton, Miss Lillian Chapman, Miss Marjorie Teetzel, Miss Lillian Cram, Miss Lena Williams, Miss Loris Armstrong, Miss Jean Elliott, Miss Kitty Edgar, Miss Lloy Greenfield, Miss Louise Patterson, Miss Margaret Jonason, Miss Mary Dickson, Miss Mary Knox, Miss May Megrath, Miss Merle Simmons, Miss Muriel Robertson, Miss Thyra Hull, Miss Velva Huston, Miss Jean Stevens, Miss May Hopkins, Miss Bessie Eby, Miss Erina Wilson.

On the committee in charge were Miss Eleanor Matthews, Miss Mary Knox, Miss Mary Dickson, Miss Lillian Chapman.

Community Leagues

WESTMOUNT

Winners at the whist drive and dance held in Westmount Community Hall on Saturday evening, were Mrs. A. Ottman, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. J. B. Gillis, Mr. Kinnear, Mr. W. J. McKay, Mr. Thomas Smith; door prizes went to Mr. Fieldhober and Mr. Thomas Smith, and the ladies' check room prize went to Mrs. J. B. Gillis.

CHRISTMAS CUSTOMS ARE VERY OLD

The Swiss name for mistletoe is "Donnerbesen" or Thunder Blossom and it is suspended on the doors of farm houses as a protection against lightning. Of course, in Canada, Great Britain and the United States it receives an entirely different interpretation at Christmas — God bless it!

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The Christmas tree goes all the way back to the Egyptians for, from the ceremonial use of the palm tree in the worship of their Goddess Isis, we trace the present day Christmas tree. During the Egyptian feast, a palm with twelve shoots had to be carried so that each month of the year might be accounted for and represented.

Each shoot of the palms nodding in obeisance to Goddess thanked Isis for each month of the year just past, during which especial favor at her hands had been granted. Placed before her statue, the palms asked for indulgence and favor for the twelve months to come.

In northern climes where, of course, there are no palms, the festivity continued down through the ages, the fir tree being substituted and the Christmas feast taking the place of the Pagan Pageantry

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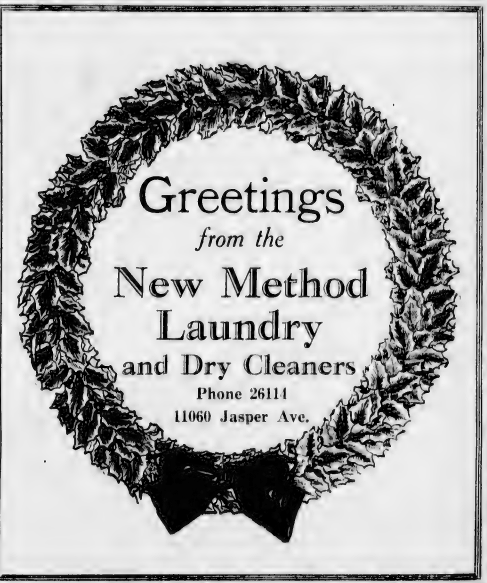
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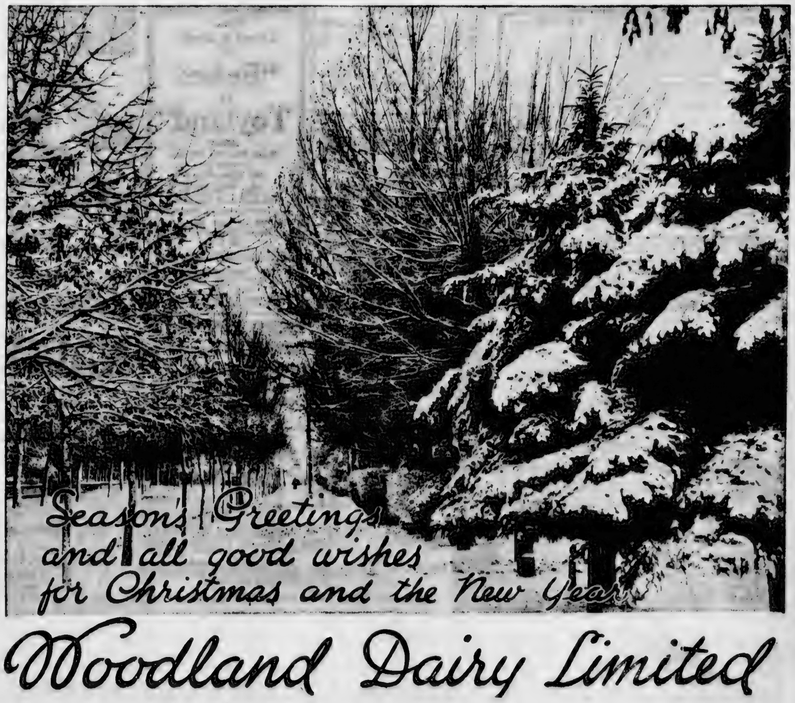

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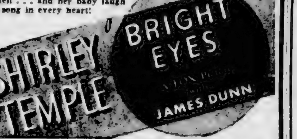

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A Very Merry Christmas
To You All—May Your Every Justified Wish Be Fulfilled.
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Society was her playground.. crooks, her playmates!
GIRL IN DANGER
RALPH BELLAMY
— Also —
JOHN WAYNE in "RANDY RIDES ALONE"
Last Times Today
"MAID OF THE MOUNTAINS" "SUCCESSFUL FAILURE"

Hollywood Gossip

INTIMATE GLIMPSES AND INSIDE STUFF ON THE MOVIE COLONY

By DAN THOMAS

A JINX still seems to be riding on that belated honeymoon of Pat Paterson and Charles Boyer. Ever since their marriage last spring, they have been planning their honeymoon trip and every time they have been set to go, something has popped up to interfere.

Boyer had to return to France just as she was about to start "Lottery Lover." She thought surely she would be able to join him upon its completion. But now that she's ready to go, he's coming back here to start another film, "Private Worlds."

"Anyway, our love must be true—it certainly isn't smooth," says Pat.

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A "STRIKE" FOR HOLLYWOOD

Teresa Helburn, director of New York's Theatre Guild for the last 12 years, definitely is casting her lot with the movies. After a three-months' trial, she made up her mind and signed a long term contract with Columbia as story adviser, supervisor and possibly director.

The new contract calls for her services eight months of the year, leaving four months which she can devote to Theatre Guild productions. If she does as well by Hollywood as she has by the Theatre Guild, Hollywood really has "struck it rich."

THELMA TODD MAKES THE BEST MEAT LOAF OF ALL ACTORS IN HOLLYWOOD— AND PUTS EVERYTHING SHE CAN FIND IN HER KITCHEN INTO IT.

BEFORE BECOMING INTERESTED IN MOVIES, DIRECTOR JOE MAY WAS AN AUTO RACING DRIVER IN GERMANY AND AUSTRIA.

JANE BREWSTER DESIGNS ALL HER OWN CLOTHES AND THOSE FOR SOME OF HER FRIENDS.

Canadian Heads B. B. C. Programs

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Gladstone Murray, a Canadian, yesterday was appointed acting program controller of the British Broadcasting Corporation. He replaces Col. Alan Dawnay, who has been ordered away on an extended sick leave by his doctor.

AMUSEMENTS

STRAND

Victor Herbert's musical score was followed as closely as possible in producing the Hal Roach-M-G-M feature, "Babes in Toyland," which is declared to be the late musician's most delightful fantasy.

"I feel that if Victor Herbert were alive today he would have done what I did in slightly changing the wood wind score to allow for the saxophone, which was practically unknown in his time," was Swalow's justification of his change.

In the screen fantasy are heard such stirring Victor Herbert compositions as "Bo-Peep," "Castles in Spain," "Go to Sleep, Slumber Deep," and "March of the Toys," and others. A chorus of thirty picked voices augment the singing of Felix Knight, dramatic tenor and Atwater Kent National Finalist for 1932, who plays Tom-Tom, and Virginia Karns, who portrays Mother Goose.

Harry Jackson's internationally famous radio orchestra, which furnishes the background music and accompaniment, features the Victor Herbert musical numbers, "Toyland," "Hang March," "Country Dance," and others.

"Babes in Toyland," starring Laurel and Hardy, is currently playing at the Strand Theatre.

EMPIRE

For the first time since the "big-time" of Orpheum and Pantages, Edmonton theatre-goers will have an opportunity to witness a full two-hour vaudeville show, when Ernest Willis presents his 12 acts of variety entertainment at the Empire theatre for three days starting next Saturday matinee.

An exceptionally well-balanced bill has been arranged, including The Four Funny Bones, a riotous comedy quartet; Frank Harrison, bag-puncher; Gloria Anderson, in a selection of popular songs; Bob Morrison, Scotch comedian; The Five Blue Boys, sensational acrobats; Adams, Hampton and Hamilton, a daring adagio trio, and a comedy dramatic sketch, "Mr. Bumble's Proposal," from Dickins' "Oliver Twist," enacted by Miss Evelyn Hambly and Ernest Willis.

In addition to two performances on Saturday, one Monday evening and matinee and night shows on New Year's Day, a special New Year's Eve frolic has been arranged at which many valuable prizes will be given away.

CAPITOL

"Bright Eyes," starring Shirley Temple, extraordinary child star, which opened Saturday and which will be the attraction Christmas day and all week until Friday. It is a delightful drama of Christmas time, and has universal appeal, in every sense of the word. Swift, human, at times pathetic, at times enormously funny, it is a story which will hold you in its spell from opening sequence to smashing finish.

David Butler, director of the picture, conceived the original idea of the story. With Edwin Burke, whose script of "Bad Girl" won the Academy Award in 1931, he wrote it. Then William Conselman, another gifted Hollywoodite, adapted it to the screen. The efforts of everyone associated with "Bright Eyes" have met with the highest degree of success.

The action of "Bright Eyes" takes place at a large commercial airport near Los Angeles and in a wealthy Pasadena home nearby.

James Dunn is once again cast "opposite" Shirley, and delivers one of the ablest performances of his notable Hollywood career. Jane Darwell, who registered so emphatically in "The White Parade" of recent memory, contributes splendid work and other members of a fine cast are Lois Wilson, Judith Allen, Charles Sellon, Dorothy Christy, Jane Withers and Theodore von Eltz.

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GREETINGS OF THE SEASON
JOE E. BROWN
6 Day Bike Rider
Also TOM KEENE
"GHOST VALLEY"

STRAND
TODAY
Laurel & Hardy
IN
"Babes IN Toyland"
ALSO
News, Novelty, Popeye Cartoon and
ON THE STAGE
AL. WEBER'S "MERRYMAKERS"
NOTE — Last Complete Show Commences at 10 p.m.
The Management and Staff Wish Their Many Friends
A Merry Christmas

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Christmas Day Show Starts at 12 Noon Doors Open 11:30. Holiday Prices Prevail After 7 o'Clock
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Laurel-Hardy At Strand Theatre

Laurel and Hardy in a scene from "Babes in Toyland"

On the "Day of Hearts," in Hungary, gingerbread valentines are popular.

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LINDY FINDS DISEASES IN UPPER AIR

High Over North Atlantic Bacteria Collected By Airman

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was revealed here yesterday as a new pioneer in science—the first man to gather proof that microscopic bacteria, fungus spores and pollens, including some diseases, are carried all the way across the north Atlantic by winds of the upper air.

The flyer collected these tiny forms of life at many points high over northern waters during the flight he and Mrs. Lindbergh made across the north Atlantic in the summer of 1933.

The discovery by Col. Lindbergh is believed by scientists to be of great importance in showing how both disease organism and others that are beneficial can be transported alive over long distance by air currents high above the ground barriers.

Heavy Malaria Plague In Ceylon

COLOMBO, Ceylon, Dec. 24—A malaria epidemic estimated to have caused 2,000 deaths in Ceylon in the last two weeks continued today to rage and spread rapidly.

So many thousands were affected throughout the island as well as in this city of 284,000 population that it was feared the country will face a famine next year.

Bright Spots On The Ether

CRC
(Canadian Radio Commission Station)
NBC
(National Broadcast Stations: KOA-KFI-KHQ-KGW-KJR-KOMO)
CBS
(Columbia Broadcast Stations: KSL-KFRC-KVI-KHJ-KOIN)

Time: P.M., Mountain Standard

MONDAY, DEC. 24
6.00—NBC—Jan Garber's Orch.
6.00—CBS—Bar X Days and Nights
6.00—CRC—Happy Landings
6.30—CRC—Arcadian Serenade
7.00—NBC—Sinclair Minstrels
7.00—CRC—One Hour With You
7.00—CBS—Rosa Ponselle.
7.30—NBC—The Hour Party
7.30—CBS—The Big Show
8.00—NBC—Lullaby Lady
8.00—CBS—Wayne King's Serenade
8.30—NBC—Christmas Carols
8.30—CRC—The Old Mill Orch.
9.00—CRC—Lakehead Melody
9.00—CBS—Myrt and Marge
9.15—CBS—Edwin C. Hill
9.30—NBC—William Daly's Orch.
9.30—CBS—Blue Monday Jamboree
10.15—NBC—Eddie Duchin's Orch.
10.30—CRC—Al and Bill
10.30—CBS—Christmas Carols
10.30—NBC—Art Kassel's Orch.
10.45—CRC—The Three Belles
11.00—NBC—Nanette La Salle
11.00—CBS—Everett Hoagland's Orch.
11.30—NBC—Blue Moonlight
11.30—CBS—Orville Knapp's Orch.

TUESDAY, DEC. 25
A.M.
6.55—CRC—Empire Broadcast
P.M.
6.00—NBC—Beaux Arts Trio
6.00—CRC—Mastering Ceremonies
6.30—CRC—'Round the Clock
6.30—CBS—Chic Scoggin's Orch.
7.00—CRC—Message from King
7.00—CBS—Bing Crosby, Boswells
7.00—NBC—Ben Bernie's Orch.
7.00—CRC—Quebec Soirees
7.30—CBS—Isham Jones' Orch.
7.30—NBC—Fire Chief Ed. Wynne
7.30—CRC—Hands Across the Border
8.00—NBC—Theatre of the Air
8.00—CRC—Sous Bois
8.00—CBS—Casa Loma Caravan
8.30—CRC—Billy Bissett's Orch.
9.00—CBS—Myrt and Marge
9.00—CRC—The Columbians
9.15—NBC—Voice of Romance
9.30—NBC—Leo Reisman's Orch.
9.30—CRC—Pianology
9.30—CBS—Henry Busse's Orch.
9.45—CRC—Similitudes
10.00—CBS—Leon Novarro's Orch.
10.30—CRC—Organ Silhouettes
10.30—NBC—Harry Sosnick's Orch.
11.00—CBS—Everett Hoagland's Orch.
11.30—CBS—Orville Knapp's Orch.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 26
6.00—NBC—Mary Pickford
6.00—CRC—Melody Mart
6.30—CBS—Broadway Varieties
6.30—CRC—Opening Night
7.00—NBC—20,000 Years in Sing Sing
7.00—CRC—Gaiety and Romance
7.00—CBS—Nino Martini
7.30—CBS—Burns and Allen
7.30—NBC—John Charles Thomas
8.00—CRC—Masters of Music
8.00—NBC—Guy Lombardo's Orch.
8.00—CBS—Broadcast to Byrd
8.15—NBC—Mme. Sylvia's Hollywood
8.30—CRC—Mart Kenny's Orch.
8.30—NBC—Jack Denny's Revue
9.00—CBS—Myrt and Marge
9.15—CBS—Edwin C. Hill
9.15—CRC—The Freshmen
9.30—NBC—Lanny Ross' Log Cabin
9.30—CBS—Voice of Experience
9.45—CBS—Ozzie Nelson's Orch.
10.00—NBC—Town Hall Tonight
10.15—CBS—Jacques Renard's Orch.
10.30—CBS—George Hall's Orch.
10.30—CRC—The Melody Maids
10.45—CBS—Melody Lane (KSL)
11.00—CBS—Everett Hoagland's Orch.
11.30—NBC—Tom Coakley's Orch.
11.30—CBS—Orville Knapp's Orch.

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MONDAY, DEC. 24
P.M.
5.30—Dinner Music
6.15—Shamrock Time
7.15—Old Curiosity Shop
8.00—Christmas Carols
8.30—Christmas Eve Melodies
11.45—St. Joachim Broadcast

TUESDAY, DEC. 25
A.M.
6.55—Empire Broadcast
7.30—Sky Pilots
7.45—Times 'n Tunes
8.00—Here is My Song
8.20—Sport Flashes
8.20—Ivory and Ebony
9.00—Christmas Grettings
9.30—Morning Pot-Purri
9.00—Quiet Thoughts and Music
11.15—Vocal and Accompanist
11.30—Rex Battle, Toronto
12.00—Meridian Melodies
P.M.
1.00—Christmas Greetings
5.30—Dinner Music
6.00—Twilight Time
6.30—Crazy Program
7.00—Office Nocturne
7.30—Kinsmen Program.
8.00—Christmas Melodies

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 26
A.M.
7.30—Sky Pilots
7.45—Times 'n Tunes
8.00—Radio Counter
8.15—Ivory and Ebony
8.20—Sport Flashes
8.30—Shots from the Shows
9.00—Quiet Thoughts and Music
10.00—Morning Pot-Purri
11.00—Symphony Program
11.30—Rex Battle, Toronto
12.00—Meridian Melodies
P.M.
12.05—Crazy Program
12.15—Sport Flashes
1.30—Luncheon Music
2.30—Piano Melodies
3.00—Radio Chatelaine
5.30—Dinner Music
6.00—Twilight Time
7.30—Britain Calling

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MONDAY, DEC. 24
P.M.
7.00—Symphony Hour
8.00—Dickens and the Xmas Spirit: R. R. Leaver and the Dickens' Fellowship Players

TUESDAY, DEC. 25
Silent—Christmas day

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 26
1.00—Farm and Home Forum
1.00—Music
1.20—S.G. Carlyle
1.35—Poultry Pointers
1.45—Music
2.00—Craftsmen All
7.00—Symphony Hour
8.00—Among the Books

Plan To Auction Great Wardrobe

LONDON, Dec. 24. — "Willie" Clarkson, famous wig-maker and theatrical costumier, London, who died a short time ago, left what was said to be the largest "wardrobe" in the world, including 50,000 military uniforms from William the Conqueror's time to the present.

Everything is to be sold by auction, except a jewel-encrusted costume worn by the late Dame Ellen Terry. This will go to the Ellen Terry Museum.

He Bites Throat With False Teeth

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—A workman of Heckingen, South Germany, was nearly bitten to death by his own teeth. While eating his supper, two of his teeth came loose and he swallowed them. Immediately, the man began to suffocate. He was rushed to a hospital, where an operation revealed that the two teeth had "bitten" through the wall of his throat.

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EXTENSION OF N.A.R. URGED BY C. F. PLANTA

Member of B.C. Legislature for Peace River City Visitor

Arriving here on Sunday following a trip through the Peace River riding of the British Columbia legislature, for which he is the sitting member, Clive F. Planta advocated the extension of the Northern Alberta Railway line from the present terminus at Hines Creek to a point 130 miles westward.

"This," he declared, "would serve an exceptionally fertile country." Mr. Planta left on Monday to spend the Christmas season with his family at Vancouver.

In Mr. Planta's opinion the extension mentioned is the most needed development in the area. Of the whole Peace River area, one section alone had been unable to share in the more advantageous market conditions for grain and livestock this year, he said.

The people of the entire block supported the idea of this extention, he said and he hoped that this city and all other N.A.R. centres would lend their aid to the project.

He commended the B.C. government for introducing a consolidated school area scheme into the Peace River territory. Under this plan there will be five consolidated school districts.

"Mike" Will Fete Unemployed Vets At Xmas Dinner

Over 300 unemployed ex-servicemen will be the guests of John "Mike" Michaels at dinner at the Macdonald hotel on Christmas day.

Elaborate preparations have been made for the entertainment of the returned men who will be served with turkey and all the trimmings, and will also receive a present of cigarettes and other smokes to help out the enjoyment of the festive season.

This is the fifth successive year on which Mr. Michaels has acted as host to the unemployed veterans.

All Wickets Post Office Closed Xmas

The postmaster desires to inform the public that Tuesday, Dec. 25th, 1934, being Christmas day, and a statutory holiday, the service at the Edmonton post office will be as follows:—

All of the wickets will be closed all day.

The public lobby will be open from 7 a.m. till 12 noon.

NORTH LOOKS FORWARD TO GREAT YEAR

Mining and Aviation Activities Are Jointly Increasing

The northland is looking forward to one of the best years in its history, according to Leigh Brintnell, head of the MacKenzie Air Service, who has just returned to the city from a flight to Cameron Bay and intermediate points.

Mining and aviation activities are jointly increasing, meat is plentiful, and in many sections, good catches of fur are being taken, Brintnell said.

Cameron Bay and the Great Bear Lake field is active, despite the cold weather, for many of the mines are now in such a stage of development that they can continue working regardless of outside weather conditions.

The discoveries on the Yellowknife river and on Lake Athabasca have aroused much interest among mining men, Brintnell said, and will mean a good deal to Edmonton.

Fur appears to be plentiful, especially to the north of Fort Chipewyan, while caribou are to be seen everywhere from Lake Athabasca, north and east right to Great Bear Lake.

BILLY BANNISTER DIES

CALGARY, Dec. 24. — Pioneer cattleman of the west, Thomas W. "Billy" Bannister, 68, died at his home here during the week-end. He came to Calgary 48 years ago from Collingwood, Ont.

Local Hotel Abandons Old Jinx Number "13"

The jinx number "13" of the superstitious may be just another figure to many persons, but it's a number to be treated with concern by Edmonton hotelkeepers.

The age of leprechauns, banshees and witch burning may be past but there are still a great many persons who will shy at the "unlucky 13," especially when firmly planted on the door of a hotel room.

To meet the problem, one of Edmonton's larger hotels had to remove the jinx number from all rooms carrying it in any form.

"213," "413" and all the other room numbers with "13" in them have had their numbers changed—and changed with good cause, for desk clerks have been faced with several instances in past weeks where guests have absolutely refused to accept accommodation marred by the unlucky number.

Other hotels have been faced with similar circumstances. One retains the figure but desk clerks will never assign a lady guest to rooms with 13 on them. A third establishment has never had a 13 on its register for 20 years.

Just as 13 is avoided lucky rooms are just as carefully sought by some guests. Travellers will wait for days for a sample room in which they have done a good business previously. Baseball and hockey players will ask for a room that they stayed in during a particularly good season.

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We Are
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Until 10 P.M.
OUR STOCK OF TOYS TO BE CLEARED OUT AT RIDICULOUS PRICES!
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Cor. 97th St. and Jasper — Phone 22446
*We Wish You—One and All—
A Very Merry Christmas!*

Newly Organized T. Eaton Glee Club

Organized this season for recreational purposes, and as an outlet for those who are musically inclined, the T. Eaton Glee Club includes 65 voices, and meets for rehearsal every Monday evening. The first broadcast will be over station CJCA, Monday, December 24, at 5:45 p.m., from the second floor of the main store.

Gleaned From Today's News

Steve Shandro, chief clerk for the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Edmonton, will return here on Wednesday after spending six weeks visiting through continental Europe and Great Britain.

D. J. Wickens, Cork, Alberta, left Edmonton Monday morning for St. John to sail on the Duchess of Bedford for Southampton. Mr. Wickens will spend a three-month holiday in Great Britain.

To spend Christmas in Calgary, Chas. S. Fyfe, city passenger agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, and Mrs. Fyfe will leave Edmonton Monday evening. They will return here on Wednesday.

Olie Flaten, Northern Alberta Railway employee, will leave Edmonton on Wednesday for St. John to embark on the Duchess of York January 4 for an extended holiday in Norway.

George Uyahara, proprietor of the Paris rooms, 10227 98 street, was host to between 35 and 40 unemployed men at a Christmas dinner held on Sunday evening. The tables were gayly decorated and good roast turkey and other dainties were spread upon the table. Mr. Uyahara acted as master of ceremonies and all had a right good time.

Victoria State Heading For Win In Cricket Game

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 24—Victoria state was heading for victory by an inning over New South Wales as their Sheffield Shield cricket match continued today. Scores at the close of play: Victoria 558 (Darling 106, Bromley 102); New South Wales 289 and following on 106 for three wickets (Brown 71, Fingleton 65, Fleetwood-Smith six for 107).

At Adelaide Queensland and South Australia were battling on even terms, scores at the close of play there being as follows: Queensland 430 (Oxenham 74 not out, Grimmett nine for 180); South Australia 337 for two wickets (Richardson 185, Nitschke 116).

Canadian Will Return To Face Liquor Charges

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Facing a charge of smuggling into Canada alcoholic liquors to the value of $5,000,000, William Alexander Yule of Halifax, N.S., appeared in Bow street police court today and agreed to waive all formalities and return to Canada to meet the charge as soon as possible.

On the understanding Yule would voluntarily return to the dominion without delay, he was remanded after pleading not guilty to the charge.

News In Today's Classified Ads.

CHILD'S Rover bicycle, like new; Wilton rug; electric vacuum; mahogany armchair; trade or sell.
(34—Articles for Sale)

1929 TRUCK, A1 condition; take trade on car for wrecking; good allowance. Ph
(40—Swaps)

SIX room house, 10730 97 street, newly decorated; new floors; $25. Ph
(30—Houses to Let Unf.)

GARNEAU—One, two, three downstairs rooms; furnished; gas. Phone
(31—Housekeeping Rms.)

73 CHRYSLER Sedan, A-1 condition. Ph. ——, between 11 and 2.
(64—Cars for Sale)

Phone Your Classified Advertising to 26121
We Will Charge It

I Saw Today

R. C. MARSHALL

Spreading a little Christmas sunshine to deserving cases at a Jasper avenue business establishment;

AND

R. T. Todd driving a friend over the Low Level bridge; **Vic Hicks** busily engaged in conversation at Jasper and 103 street; **Harold Boyle** wending his way north on 102 street; **George H. Graydon** in the west end of the city; **Augustin Morin** smoking a favorite tobacco as he rounded the Empire building corner; **Jock Dundas** on 98th avenue contemplating a real Scottish Christmas celebration; **Lefty Grove** at Jasper and 101 street, passing a few comments on the weather; **Milton Webber** scampering to work.

THE INQUIRING REPORTER

"When you go shopping, do you like to do it all by yourself, or do you like some solicitous clerk hovering around and helping you," The Bulletin Inquiring Reporter asked a number of ladies at a little tea-fight. Their answers follow:

MRS. H. MURRAY PAWLING: "Say, I just don't want anyone around me to pester me. They may mean well, but I would much rather do my shopping without anyone butting in. As far as I am concerned, I know what I want when I want it."

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MRS. MARGARET WRIGHT: "I don't want anyone dancing around me when I am shopping. Most women, when they go shopping, look in the advertisements before they start, and have a pretty good idea what they want, and just go ahead with it. Of course, if a couple of lady friends are just strolling around the stores without any definite purpose in view, that is different—it probably means that they are just out to look things over, and not to buy."

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MRS. MARGIE WEBBER: "I like to do my own picking and choosing when I go out to fill up my grocery basket. Most housewives, when they go shopping these days, haven't got any too much money to play with; they have to make that money go as far as they can, and they have a pretty fair idea before they start as to what they want. The clerks who buzz around no doubt mean well, but they do not get more business."

Aga Khan On Honors List

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 24—The Daily Mirror said today the Aga Khan, sportsman and spiritual head of millions of Mohammedans, will be raised to the peerage in the King's New Year's honor list.

Petroleum production in Alberta oil fields for November totalled 98,038 barrels, bringing the total for the first 11 months of the year, up to Nov. 30, to 1,160,135 barrels as compared with 909,696 barrels for the 11-month period of last year.

Norman Lees, of the staff of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Winnipeg, is being transferred to the Edmonton office, according to an announcement made on Monday morning by R. W. Greene, district agent. Mr. Lees will take over his new duties on January 1.

Christmas Day and its true meaning was the subject of an address given to the members of the Kiwanis Club by Rev. C. G. Stone at the regular weekly luncheon meeting held in the Macdonald hotel Monday noon. Following the luncheon the members sang Christmas songs and carols.

Canadian Airways report the following movements of planes Monday, all southbound from various sections of the northland to Fort McMurray for Christmas Day: Walter Gilbert, Con Farrell and Lewis Leigh have already reached the end-of-steel base; W. R. "Wop" May is southbound from Fort Simpson; Archie Mullen is flying south from Fort Smith, and Rudy Heuss is moving down to McMurray from Fort Chipewyan.

ROAD REPORT

Cars are getting through on all roads throughout the province but are experiencing difficulty in some parts, according to the latest reports issued by the Alberta Motor Association. The roads in the Peace River district have drifted badly from Slave Lake to Fort St. John.

A detailed report follows: Jasper-Edson, O. K.; Peace River, O. K.; St. Paul road, O. K.; North Battleford, O. K.; Wainwright, O. K.; Viking, O. K.; Hardisty, O. K.; Macklin, O. K.; Mulhurst, O. K.

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Heartless Knows How To Take His Spirits Like Real Gentleman

Always the gallant Suthun gen'man, Heartless Harold McMasters, the Unknown Underlaker, called around at police headquarters Monday morning and assured the boys on duty that despite tonight being Christmas Eve, the riot squad will find things dull.

"While not exactly on thu wagon," explained Heartless, who during his majordomo days on the door of Calgary's Noble hotel has become retired, "I know now how to take it like a gentleman."

Heartless checked out of the Calgary hostel shortly after he had put the bite on a cow town gambling joint.

"The papers sed the horses was thundering down the stretch when the cops bust in," disclosed Harold, "but it was me - - - I went through the joint like nothing. I was going to play but some wise guy made a crack and I tore off my coat and shirt and went to work. Magistrate Davidson called it square when I paid $47.00 for creating a disturbance, assault and wilful damage."

Harold has some new teeth but they're not going to stop him from going back into the fight game.

"But your teeth, what about those new sparklers?" gently reminded the pachyderm's public relations counsel.

A cough and a splutter or two and Heartless' new choppers lay in his hand. "I can take 'em out," boasted the Battler.

Harold left his girl in Calgary and the police are breathing easier in the thought that Heartless won't have to tear down any rooming houses during the Christmas celebration to prove his love for the lady fair.

Edmonton's Only Co-Op. Store Is Making Progress

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Supply Co-operative Limited, located at 8226 103 street South Edmonton, was held recently. The large and enthusiastic attendance was very encouraging to the board of management.

The store has just closed its sixth year in business and in view of the trying period has made satisfactory progress. Dividends at the rate of 6% have been paid on the capital invested, also patronage dividends were paid to the patrons of the store for two quarters of the year.

Four of the directors retired this year but were re-elected. The board of directors now consists of Messrs J. A. Herlihy, Robt. Law, J. B. Ritchie; H. A. Calder, S. Savage, E. R. James and J. R Tegler D. A. MacNeill is the manager of the store.

MAYOR OPENS SKATING RINK

Expressing admiration of the initiative which had successfully brought to completion the erection of the Waterdale Community rink, His Worship Mayor Joseph A. Clarke officially opened the rink on Friday evening.

Built by volunteer labor and to be operated by the League executive, the rink is the first that the community has had for a number of years.

Complimenting the community on the acquisition of such a fine rink His Worship stated that he considered it a real recreational asset to the community.

"Although Canada in the past has produced the best in hockey stars, these men have a way of getting old," said His Worship. "There is no reason why Edmonton, and even Waterdale, should not develop the younger men who will become their successors."

Public Debate At N. Edmonton Forum

Under the auspices of the North Edmonton Open Forum, a public debate will be held at 12446 66th street on Friday, Dec. 28, at 8 p.m., between W. R. Ball, prominent exponent of Public Ownership (affirmative), and James Brogden, president of the Edmonton National Labor Council, who upholds the negative.

The subject of the debate is: "Resolved, that a civic owned and operated tannery, boot and shoe factory, woolen mill and flour mill, would help to solve the unemployment problem."

HEAVY BRITISH MAIL ARRIVES

Postal officials were confronted with stacks of British mail on Monday morning and special efforts are being made to have every single letter and parcel in the hands of those to whom they are addressed before delivery ceases Monday evening.

Postmaster McKenzie stated this morning that 56 trucks will be on the streets all day in an effort to clear up the accumulation of mail over the week-end. He asked the co-operation of all residents in this work and makes the suggestion that verandah lights be left burning to help out the men making deliveries.

Heaviest street collections in recent history have to be dealt with by the postal authorities and, in addition, the intake on Monday morning and afternoon, is just as heavy as at the peak of the posting rush last week.

It may be impossible to get all the mail out before Christmas, but every effort will be made to have it delivered, said the postmaster.

Coast Sheriff Dies

VANCOUVER, Dec. 24.—Sheriff George W. Robertson, 65, of Vancouver, who came here 22 years ago from Richibucto, died today.

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MABEL MUNTON SUFFERS HURT IN ACCIDENT

Grad Basketball Player is Victim of Auto, Tram Crash

Mrs. Charlie Munton suffered injuries necessitating hospital attention and seven others were severely shaken up when a car, driven by Mabel Munton, the Commercial Grads basketball player, crashed into a street car at the intersection of 107 avenue and 103 street, at 2.15 p.m. Saturday.

Motorman Findlay, in charge of the street car, No. 32, told police that he was under the impression that the auto had not stopped at the "stop" sign before entering 107 avenue.

In the front seat with Miss Munton, the driver, were her two sisters, Mrs. C. Olsen, of 154 street, and Margaret Munton. Passengers in the rear seat of the auto were Mrs. C. Munton, Mrs. M. Adams, Jean Adams, 13, and Cecile Adams, 9, of 11439 87 street.

Strange Disease Afflicted Moose

Cycles of disease exterminate big game the same as the notorious seven-year-plague wipes out the snowshoe rabbits, in the opinion of Colin McDiarmid, of Evansburgh, timber inspector.

McDiarmid believes that some strange malady afflicted the moose in western woods this summer, but did not touch the deer. He thinks the effects of these cycles of disease has far more to do with wiping out the game than all the hunters put together.

While making trips to various timber berths last summer, McDiarmid frequently encountered the carcasses of moose in the woods. It was obvious that they had just died, and not been shot. In one instance, he found six such carcasses within an area of half a mile.

Wolves are killing many deer west of Edson, McDiarmid declared.

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CHRISTIE GRANT'S
DEPT STORE

WHEAT CLOSES QUARTER CENT HIGHER MONDAY

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.—Traders, looking forward to a two-day holiday over Christmas, paid little attention to the market today. Wheat prices on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange closed the quietest session in weeks ¼ cent higher.

Futures fluctuated within a ½-cent price range and delivery of 463,000 bushels of cash against the maturing December contract had no bearish effect on the market. December closed at 78, May 82⅞ and July 83⅝ cents.

Cash and coarse grains were similarly dull. Values generally held steady.

The exchange will be closed tomorrow, Christmas day, and on Wednesday, in observance of Boxing Day.

WINNIPEG CASH CLOSE

By N. Bawlf Grain Co., Ltd.

	Close
WHEAT—	
1 hard	80
1 Northern	78¾
2 Northern	75
3 Northern	71½
No. 4	69
No. 5	64
No. 6	64
Feed	63
Track	78½
OATS—	
2 C.W.	44¼
3 C.W.	39¼
Extra 1 feed	39¼
1 feed	37¼
2 feed	34½
3 feed	32¼
Track	42¼
BARLEY—	
3 C.W.	54¼
4 C.W.	49¾
5 C.W.	47¾
6 C.W.	54¼
RYE—	
2 C.W.	59
3 C.W.	56
2 C.W. rejected	53
4 C.W.	52
Track	59
FLAX—	
1 N.W.C.	142¼
2 N.W.	138¼
3 N.W.	124¼
4 N.W.	124¼
Track	142¼

WINNIPEG PRIVILEGES CLOSE

WHEAT—	Bids	Offers
May	82¾	83½
July		84⅛
Good This Week		
May	82	84¼
Good Next Week		
May	81	86
July		86½

SILVER CLOSE

MONTREAL, Dec. 24—Silver closed steady. Sales, 6 contracts; Dec. 5, May 1.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	53.45b	53.55	53.60	53.40b
May	54.70b	54.80	54.80	54.60n

Christmas Greetings

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Range in Grain Prices

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKETS

By James Richardson & Sons, Edmonton

December 24, 1934

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close	Season's High	Season's Low
WHEAT—							
Dec.	78	78⅛	77¾	78	77¾	97	74⅛
May	83	83⅛	82⅞	82⅞	82⅞	100½	79⅛
July	83⅜	83¾	83⅜	83⅝	83⅜	—	—
OATS—							
Dec.	42⅜	42½	42¼	42¼	42½	47⅝	32
May	44⅛	44⅛	44	44	44⅛	49⅜	35¾
July	43⅞	44⅛	43⅞	44	44⅛	—	—
BARLEY—							
Dec.	54¾	54⅞	54	54¼	54⅞	63¾	43⅞
May	57	57⅛	56½	56⅞	57	65⅜	50¾
July	56⅞	56⅞	56½	56⅜	56¾	—	—
RYE—							
Dec.	58	59	58	59	58	77	51¼
May	61⅞	62¼	61⅜	62¼	61¾	80	53⅛
July	62½	62¾	62½	62¾	62⅜	—	—
FLAX—							
Dec.	—	—	—	142¼	141	174¾	119
May	144½	145½	144½	145½	144⅜	173½	128
July	145¼	145¾	144⅜	145¾	144⅜	—	—

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS

By James Richardson & Sons, Edmonton

December 24, 1934

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close	Season's High	Season's Low
WHEAT—							
Dec.	98⅛	98¼	97⅞	98¼	98¼	113¾	88⅛
May	99⅛	99½	98⅞	99⅜	99⅛	117	93⅛
July	93⅜	93⅝	93⅛	93½	93⅜	—	—
CORN—							
Dec.	90¼	91½	90¼	91½	89⅞	97	48⅛
May	87⅞	88½	87⅜	88½	87⅜	93¼	45
July	85	85½	84⅞	85½	84⅝	—	—
OATS—							
Dec.	—	56¼	55⅞	55⅞	55¾	57⅞	43
May	52	52⅜	52	52⅜	52	59⅛	45½
July	47¼	47⅜	47⅛	47¼	47	—	—
RYE—							
Dec.	—	77⅜	77⅛	77⅜	77⅜	90	66½
May	76⅜	76⅜	76⅛	76¼	76⅛	95¾	62¾
July	75½	75½	75⅜	75½b	75½	—	—

Edmonton Grain

By Gillespie Grain Co., Ltd.

	Close
WHEAT—	
1 hard	61
1 Northern	60
2 Northern	54
3 Northern	49½
4 Northern	47
No. 5	43
No. 6	42
Feed	41
OATS—	
2 C.W.	31½
3 C.W.	26½
Extra 1 feed	26½
1 feed	24½
2 feed	21½
3 feed	19½
BARLEY—	
3 extra C.W.	53
3 C.W.	39
4 C.W.	35
5 C.W.	32½
6 C.W.	31½
RYE—	
2 C.W.	40
3 C.W.	37
4 C.W.	33
Ergoty	32
FLAX—	
1 C.W.	118
2 C.W.	104
3 C.W.	100

These are Edmonton street prices only. Prices at all outside points are subject to local adjustments to the shipping points

MARKET MOVEMENTS

DECEMBER 24, 1934.

At New York—No rush to buy.
At Montreal—Advance.
At Toronto—Mines, strong tone.
Industrials, slow.

Wheat—
At Edmonton: Down ½, closing at 60.
At Winnipeg: Up ¼, closing at 78 (Dec.).
At Chicago: Unchanged to ¼ up, closing at 98¼ (Dec.).

Currency—
At Montreal: Pound, 4.89⅝; U.S. dollar, .99 1-16; franc, 6.54 1-16.
At New York: Pound, 4.94¼; Canadian dollar, 1.00 15-16; franc, 6.60¼.
At Paris: Closed.
In Gold: Pound, 12s 1d; Canadian dollar, 59.97 cents; U. S. dollar, 59.43 cents.
At Edmonton Post Office:

British pound rate	$4.89
Orders to U.S.	Par
Orders from U.S.	Par

World Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24—Following are today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadians funds at current sterling exchange rate of $4.89 as supplied by Broomhall for December shipment:—

Wheat—	Today	Saturday
1 Man. Nor., Vancouver	94	93⅜
2 Man. Nor., Atlantic	92½	92⅛
2 Man. Nor., Vancouver	86	85⅜
Argentine, Rosafe	64⅛	63⅜
Argentine, Barusso	64⅞	64⅛
Australian, afloat	64⅞	65¾
West Australian	71	70¼
French	57¼	67¼

LONDON CLOSING

LONDON, Dec. 24—Braz. Traction, $10½; C.P.R., $11½; Int. Nickel, $23; Brit. Am. Tobac., £6¼; Courtaulds, 46s 6d; Distillers, 94s 9d; Hudson Bay, 22s; Imp. Chem., 36s 9d; Imp. Tobac., 140s 7½d; Rand Mines, £6⅞; Crowns, £12⅞; Springs, £8¼; Rio Tintos, £14⅛; Royal Dutch, £18¼; Vickers, 10s.

Bonds: Can. 4 p.c. loan, 1953-58, £113¼; Brit. 2½ p.c. consols, £92; Brit. 3½ p.c. war loan, £108⅛; British funding, 4s 1960-90, £120.

Broomhall

CHICAGO, Dec. 24—The international wheat market is dull owing to the Christmas holidays. The Argentine markets are closed today and Liverpool closed at 9 a.m. New York time. Private cables reported generally rainy weather in the Argentine on Saturday. Broomhall's cable reported unsettled weather early Saturday and direct cables said the weather was generally cloudy, with no rain reported up to 8 a.m. Saturday. North American shipments 1,890,000 bushels, with a large proportion clearing from Vancouver. World shipments 7,500,000 compared to 6,409,000 a week ago and 10,036,000 a year ago.

Montreal Stocks

By James Richardson and Sons

	Bid	Asked
Assoc. Brew.	12	13½
Bell Telephone	128½	128½
B. C. Power "A"	27¾	—
B. C. Power "B"	4⅛	4⅝
B. A. Oil	14¾	14⅞
Brazilian	10¼	10⅜
Can. Pac. Rly.	11⅜	11⅝
Cons. Smelters	134	136
Dom. Bridge	33¼	33½
Dom. Textiles	80	82
Abitibi	100	110
Can. Car and Foundry	7½	7⅞
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	6⅛	6⅜
Can. Ind. Alcohol "B"	5	—
Cockshutt Plow	7	7⅜
Canada Wineries	3⅛	3½
Beauharnois Power	3¾	—
Can. Celanese	19⅜	20
Canada Malting	29	29½
Canada Cement	7⅜	7½
Cons. Bakeries	10½	10¾
Distillers Seagrams	16	—
Hamilton Bridge	4⅛	4⅝
Canadian Vickers	—	3
Gypsum Lime and Alab.	5⅞	6
Imperial Oil	16⅜	16½
Imperial Tobacco	13	13½
Int. Nickel	22⅝	23
Int. Utilities "A"	100	200
Int. Utilities "B"	25	—
Lake of Woods	12¼	—
East Dairies	2¼	—
Brewers and Dist.	55	60
Montreal Power	30½	31
National Brew.	30	30¼
Quebec Power	15¾	16
Shawinigan	17½	18½
Ford of Canada "A"	28¼	28⅜
Gen. Steel Wares	4	4⅛
Hiram Walker	24	24½
Steel of Canada	44¼	45
Bank Can. Nationale	130	—
Bank of Commerce	165½	167
Dominion Bank	197	200
Imperial Bank	197	200
Bank of Montreal	201	202
Bank of Nova Scotia	279	—
Royal Bank	167	169
Bank of Toronto	219	220
Bank of Canada	55½	—

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

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NO RUSH TO BUY MONDAY AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—Financial markets were of the customary Christmas texture today and, while holiday spirits were moderately cheerful, there was no rush to buy.

After a fairly active opening, equities trading settled down to a rather dull jog and prices milled about indecisively.

Among Canadian stocks, McIntyre and International Nickel were virtually even. Lake Shore was steady, but Hiram Walker got down nearly a point. Dominion government bonds were narrow and quiet.

American Telephone got up a point and Consolidated Gas, Public Service of New Jersey and Western Union were a trifle improved. American Can moved up a point to another New Year's higher.

Douglas Aircraft pushed higher on announcement that the war department had placed a large order with this company.

By James Richardson & Sons
(Quoted at 1 p.m.)

Air Reduction	110½
Allied Chem	121¾
Amer Can	109¾
Tmer. Smelt.	37¼
Amn. Sugar Refin.	64¼
Amn. Tel & Tel	103¼
Amn. Tob. "B"	81⅞
Amn. Foreign Pur.	4
Anaconda Copper	10⅝
Atchison R.R.	52
Auburn	24½
Baltimore & Ohio	12⅞
Bendix Aviation	16⅛
Beth Steel	29⅜
Best Stores	36¾
Briggs Mfg.	25½
Brooklyn Man.	40⅝
Canada Dry	15
Can. Pac. Rly.	11⅝
J. I. Case	52
Cerro De Pasco	43¼
Ches & Ohio	43⅛
Coca Cola	155
Chrysler Corp.	38⅜
Comm. Sovents	31¼
Cons. Gas	20¼
Cont. Can	62⅝
Cont. Oil Del.	17½
Corn Products	62
Curtiss Wright	2⅝
Dupent Powder	94⅜
Eastman Kodak	111
Elec. Autolite	26½
Fox Films	13
Freeport Tevas	23⅜
Gen. Asphalt	15⅛
Gen. Elec.	20¼
Gen. Foods	33⅞
Gen. Motors	31¾
General Rly. Signal	24¾
Gillette Razor	13⅜
Goodyear Tire	22⅞
Houston Oil	16¼
Howe Sound	49⅜
Hudson Motors	11¾
Goodrich	9⅞
Gold Dust	17
Int. Harvester	39⅜
Int. Nickel	23
Int. Tel & Tel.	8¼
Johns Manville	52½
Kennecott Copper	16¾
Lambert Chem.	27½
Liggett & Myers	102⅞
Loews Inc.	34⅛
Mont. Ward	28
Nash Motors	16⅞
Nat. Biscuit	26½
Nat. Dairy Druds.	16½
Nat. Cash Reg.	16¾
N.Y. Central	19¾
North Amer. Corp.	12½
Owens Ill.	83⅜
Pub. Srv. N.J.	26
Penn. R.R.	23¾
Packard Motors	4½
Rep. Steel	13⅝
Reynolds Tob.	50
Radio Corp.	5½
Radio Keith Orph.	2¾
Safeway Stores	46⅜
Sears Roebuck	38⅜
South Pacific	17½
Stand. Brands	18
Stand. Oil Cal.	29⅞
Stand. Oil N.J.	42¼
Stand Gas & Elec.	4¼
Stud. Corp.	1⅞
Simmons Bed	9
South Cal. Edison	10⅞
Texas Corp.	20¼
Texas Guf	32⅝
Und. Ell. & Fisher	57
Union Carbide	45¾
Union Pacific	105¾
United Corp.	32½
United Gas Imp.	12
United Gas Imp.	12
U.S. Ind. Alc.	43¼
U.S. Rubber	16⅛
U.S. Steel	36¼
West Elec.	33⅜
West. Airbrake	23⅝
F. W. Woolworth	52
Yellow Cab	2⅜
Sales to 1 p.m.	480,000

NEW YORK CURB CLOSES

Electric Bond and Share	6¾
Ford of Canada	28⅜
Swifts & Co.	18⅛
Int. Pete	30⅞
American Sup. Power	1
Stand. Oil Kent.	17⅝

Livestock

AT TORONTO

TORONTO, Dec. 24—Receipts: 540 cattle, 20 calves, 300 hogs, 60 sheep and lambs.

Butcher cattle $2.50 to $4, good cows $2.50 to $2.75, fed calves $4.50 to $6.50.

Calves firm at $7 to $7.50.

Lambs sold steadily at $5.50 to $7.

Hogs, unsettled.

AT MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Dec. 24—Cattle receipts 672. ight weight steers, plain to just medium, $3.25 to $3.75.

Calf receipts 430. Good and choice veal $7.25 to $7.50.

Sheep receipts 217. Ewes $2.50 to $3, good lambs $6.50 to $6.75.

Hog receipts 11,478. Firm at $8 for bacons.

AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 24—Hogs, 19,000, including 9,000 direct. Lights $5-$5.25.

Cattle, 7,000 commercial, 1,000 government. Steers $6.75-$9.50; heifers, $5.75-$8.50. Vealers, $5-$6.50.

Sheep, 10,000. Feeding lambs, $2.25-$5.50.

AT WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24—Receipts: 740 cattle, 135 calves, 1,550 hogs, 95 sheep.

Choice steers $3.75-$4.75, good cows $2.25-50. Good veal calves, $5.50-$7.

Bacon hogs $7, heavies $6.50.

Dutch Princess To Be Engaged

LONDON, Dec. 24—A Daily Express dispatch from Berlin Sunday quoted an authoritative source as saying the engagement of Crown Princess Juliana of the Netherlands and the Grand Duke Friedrich Franz of Mecklenburg, will be announced from the Hague in January.

Texan Asks Tattoo To Mark Drunkard

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 24—Persons convicted of being habitual drunkards would be tattooed in blue ink on the back of each hand with a caital "H," under a bill introduced in the house of representatives by Representative Z. E. Coombes of Dallas. The sale or gift of intoxicants to a person so marked would subject the purveyor to a fine of $10 to $50.

Great Actor May Become 'Sir George'

LONDON, Dec. 24. — George Arliss last night seemed assured of elevation to knighthood. The veteran actor's name was understood to be on the "honors" list for the year already approved by the King.

STRONG TONE, MINE MARKET

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—The mining department of the Toronto Stock Exchange developed a strong tone in today's abbreviated session. Bradian was a leader of the gold group, jumping 45 cents to 2.45 on heavy turnover. Bralorne, which has a heavy interest in Bradian, came along with an advance of 1.20 to $13.20.

By James Richardson and Sons

	Open	Close
Big Missouri	33	32½
Braelorne	1175	1300
Dome Mines	3765	3750
Eldorado	112	120
Falcon Bridge	335	335
Gunnar Gold	73b	75
Hollinger	1890	1870
Hudson Bay	1150	1130
Howey	101	102
Lake Shore	5200	5275
Little Long Lac	730	725
Mining Corp.	104	104
Macassa	252	258
McIntyre	3975	3975
Noranda	3300	3300
Nipissing	250	250
Pioneer	1050	1065
Reno Gold	110	112
San Antonio	445	445
Siacoe	245	248
Sherritt Gordon	45	45
Sudbury Basin	112	115
Sylvanite	225	225
Teck Hughes	395	395
Ventures	90	91
Wright Hargreaves	875	875
Ashley Gold	16	13
Base Metals	52	54
Chem. Research	215	205
Coniarium	250	250
Cariboo Gold	132	132
Granada	10	10
B. R. X.	17	18
McWatters	41	43½
Pend Oreille	45b	46
B. E. A. R.	18	18
Bobjo	30½	31
Castle Threth.	64	62
Cent. Patricia	102	105
God's Lake	194	197
Goldale	16½	16½
Bradian	201	248
McMillan Gold	31	32½
Maple Leaf	7	7
Kirkland Lake	58	55
Lee Gold	2	2¼
McVittie	26½	27
Parkhill	20	18¼
Paymaster	19	19
Premier	140	144
S. Tibblemont	2¼	2½
Read Authier	70½	71
Beattie	191	192
Chibougamac	8	8½
Waite Ackerman	45	45
Wayside	8½	8½
White Eagle	8½	8½

TORONTO UNLISTED MINES

Pickle Crow	181	—
Bankfield	69	73
Mosher Long Lac	3¼	3¼
Greene Stabelle	29	29
Gold Eagle	21	21
Wells Long Lac	13½	13½
Gabrielle	58	—
Magnet Lake	17	17
Man. and Eastern	14	14
McLeod	6¾	6¾
Smelter Gold	16	16
Toburn	124	—

TORONTO OILS

Associated Oil	10b	10
A. P. Cons.	7	7½
Ajax	85	94
Acme	18	18
Dalhousie	24	24
Eastcrest	7¼	7¼
Home Oil	55	55
Royalite	1800	1800
Nordon	4	4

GRAIN INSPECTIONS

EDMONTON, Dec. 24—Cars inspected Saturday—Wheat: 1 Nor. 1, 2 Nor. 1, 3 Nor. 8 tough and 5 damp, smutty 3 Nor. 1 damp, 4 Nor. 1 straight and 15 tough and 15 damp, No. 6 1 straight and 3 tough and 4 damp, No. 6 1 straight and 3 tough and 6 damp. Oats: 2 C.W. white 2 straight and 5 tough, 3 C.W., 3 tough and 6 damp, extra 1 feed 3 tough and 4 damp, 1 feed 2 straight and 2 tough and 1 damp, 2 feed 1 tough and 1 damp. Barley: 3 extra C. W. 6 row 2, 3 c.W. 3, 5 C.W. 1. Mixed grain: No. 3 1 straight and 1 tough. Totals: 16 straight and 44 tough and 43 damp; total cars, 103.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24—Saturday inspections: Wheat, 256 cars, 147 last year; contract wheat, 121; oats, 54-20 barley, 23-9; flax, 0-1.

GOLD AND SILVER

MONTREAL, Dec. 24—Bar gold in London up two cents at $34.56 an ounce in Canadian funds; 140 8d in British funds. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $34.67 in Canadian.

LONDON, Dec. 24—Bar gold declined ½ penny to 144s 8d. U. S. equivalent $34.78 on basis of sterling opening at $4.94½.

LONDON, Dec. 24—Bar silver firm, 1-16 higher at 23 15-16d.

LIVERPOOL CLOSING

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24—Closing wheat futures firm; Dec., 4s 8⅛d; March, 5s; May, 5s 2⅛d; July, 5s 3⅞d.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24—Wheat—Spot, No. 3 Manitoba, 85⅛ cents.

Hams—Canadan short cut, 12-18 lbs., 88s.

Bacon—Can. Wiltshires, 75s; Canadian Cumberland cut, 26-40 lbs., 63s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white and colored, new 53s.

TORONTO PRODUCE

TORONTO, Dec. 24—Wholesale produce prices:—

Eggs—Grade A large, doz., 28c.
Churning Cream—No. 1, lb., 21c.
Butter—No. 1 solids, lb., 21c.

CLOSING TORONTO AVERAGES

20 Industrials	101.24	up	.83
20 Golds	111.46	up	1.04
20 Misc. Mines	80.39	off	.22

Total mines sales, 167,000 shares.

DISCOVER FISH CAN TAKE DROP

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Believe it or not, fish are very much like cats. It has been proved that fish not only seem to have nine lives but also learn the art of falling from great heights without receiving any injuries.

Gustave Prevost of the University of Montreal's biology department, who is a member of the Province of Quebec Department of Fisheries and Game, has conducted many interesting experiments while re-stocking the lakes and streams of this province. It was found the trout survived when dropped into the water from aeroplanes at a height of 1,500 feet.

Encouraged by this Mr. Prevost continued his experiments to prove that fish could exist under seemingly impossible conditions. He placed trout in a receptacle with narrow openings in each end and this was dropped from a height of 1,000 feet into a lake. The receptacle broke into several pieces, but the fish emerged from the ordeal as much alive as ever.

Physician Dies

TORONTO, Dec. 24—Dr. John Roderick McGregor, prominent Elora, Ont., physician, died suddenly while visiting friends here Saturday night.

A prominent sportsman, Dr. McGregor was born in Cheltenham, Ont., in 1876 and skipped the rink of Elora bowlers to the Walker trophy and Canadian Championship at Vancouver in 1907.

Calgary Man Fatally Hurt

CALGARY, Dec. 24. — Sydney Walker, 46, is dead here of injuries he suffered when he was struck by a street car at a downtown intersection Saturday night. An inquest will be held Wednesday night.

Stray Cat Makes Home In Bird House

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Dec. 24—Seven years ago Innocent Duri built what he thought was a catproof bird house. Recently a stray alley cat discovered the house and raised a litter of kittens in it.

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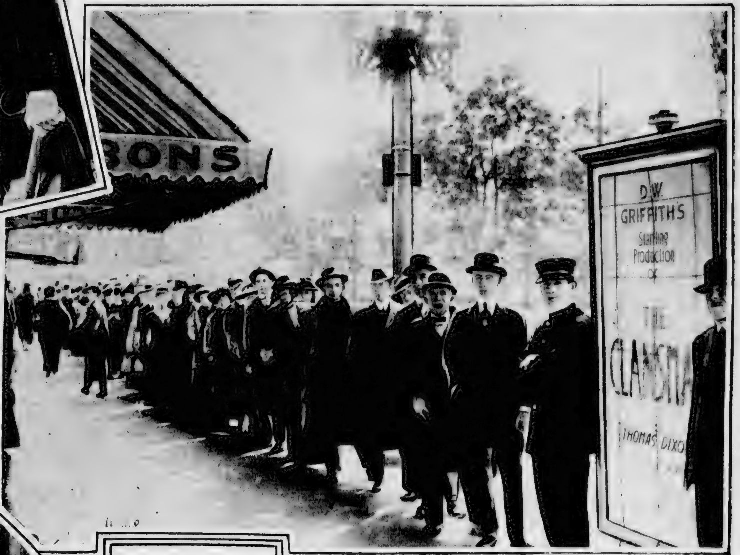

AN IMMORTAL FILM IN MOVIEDOM—"The Birth of a Nation," first released in 1915, was the first movie which grossed more than a million dollars to its producer. Its total rental has been estimated at $3,500,000. In this scene Lillian Gish (holding cat) is seen. Wallace Reid got his start in this film. Prior to its release, the screen had been considered low brow, but the picture attracted the intelligentsia. Originally titled "The Clansman," the picture was given its new name one month after release. The biggest box office success of all time is Al Jolson's second talking picture, "The Singing Fool," released in 1928. Second is Rudolph Valentino's "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse." Third is "Ben Hur" (1926)

FAMOUS SCENE—One of the most widely heralded bathtub scenes was from "Male and Female," a 1919 De Mille production, which starred Gloria Swanson. She's in the tub in this scene, taken from the film.

FAILURE! — Edna Gray was probably the first person to commit suicide because of failure to reach success in pictures. This scene is from a movie she appeared in. She ended her life in 1916 in New York city.

EARLY COMEDY — Lupe Velez and Charley Chase in a 1927 two-reel Hal Roach comedy.

PERFECT PROFILE—The lad who herewith (at RIGHT) demonstrates the fashion, so far as profiles are concerned, was a success on the screen starting in 1909. Crane Wilbur is the actor. Note the heavy make-up used in the early days.

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Announcements

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5—OBITUARIES

MISS MARY JANE ARMSTRONG

Mary Jane Armstrong of Ardrossan, Alta., passed away in an Edmonton hospital on December 22, aged 66 years. She is survived by four sisters, Mrs. C. Kinch of Ardrossan and Mrs. J. Wood, Mrs. J. Wharton and Mrs. R. Monteith, all in Ireland; and one brother, John, in Los Angeles. The funeral service will be held on Wednesday afternoon at two p.m. at the Ardrossan Anglican Church. Rev. Wallace will officiate and interment will take place in the Fairmount Cemetery. Howard and McBride, Funeral Service

PHILLIP W. WURTENBURGER

Phillip W. Wurtenburger of Entwistle, Alta., passed away at Entwistle on December 21, aged 76 years. He is survived by his wife and one son, Howard, of Chicago. Funeral announcements will be made on the arrival of his son from Chicago. Howard and McBride, Funeral Service.

6—CARD OF THANKS

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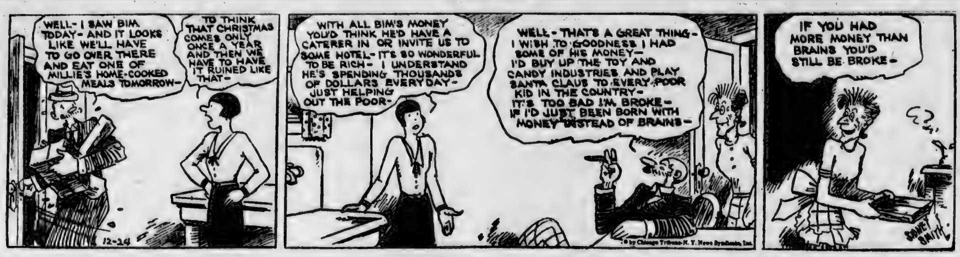
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GOVERNMENT
LIQUOR CONTROL ACT
OF ALBERTA

Application for Beer License

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intends appying to the Alberta Liquor Control Board for a License to sell Beer by the glass, or open bottle, for consumption in conformity with the provisions of the Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta, and regulations made thereunder, with respect to the following premises: Marwayne Hotel located on Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 1, Plan 5126 C.L. in the Hamet of Marwayne, Alta. Beer room located on south side of Hotel.

DATED at Marwayne, Alta., this 17th day of December, 1934.

MRS. ROSALIE CULFORD,
Applicant.

Notice to Creditors of First Meeting Where Assignment Made

In the Matter of the Authorized Assignment of OLIVER RONNIE, Debtor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that OLIVER RONNIE, carrying on business under the firm name and style of "NEW DEAL SHOE SHOP" at Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta, made an Assignment on the 20th day of December, 1934, and that the first meeting of Creditors will be held on the 4th day of January, 1935, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, in the City of Edmonton, Province of Alberta.

To vote thereat proofs of claims and proxies must be filed with us prior thereto.

Those having claims against the estate must file the same with the Custodian or the Trustee when appointed before distribution is made, otherwise the proceeds of the estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, without regard to such claims.

DATED at Edmonton, Alberta, this 21st day of December, 1934.

THE CANADIAN CREDIT MEN'S TRUST ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.
"Custodian"
Bank of Toronto Building Annex,
EDMONTON, ALBERTA.

Notice to Insurance Brokers

The Edmonton Public School Board is open to receive quotations for the carrying of public liability insurance on the students and staff of the Technical School. Quotations will be received up to 12 noon on Friday, December 28th, 1934. The lowest nor any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. G. TURNER,
Secretary-Treasurer

Yuletide Greetings From Edmonton Business Firms

A Right Merry Christmas

To our friends, in grateful appreciation for the many kindnesses throughout the year, may we express hearty good wishes for a most

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL

From the Management and Staff of the

SILVER GREY CAFE

9851 Jasper Ave. Phone 26536

TO OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS

We Thank You
For Pleasant Past
Associations and
Wish You

A Merry
Xmas

AND A

Happy
New Year

Alberta Hotel
Cor. 98 St. & Jasper Ave.
A. KORPAN, Mgr.

MAY YULETIDE JOY BE UNCONFINED!

When the fire glows on the hearth and the happy family gathers to observe the Festive Yuletide, may your cup of joy bubble over. That's our wish at this jolly season of the year, and with it we add the hope that your joy will be as abundant throughout the New Year.

EDMONTON HARDWARE SUPPLY CO.
10142 99 Street

We take this opportunity of extending our sincere wishes to one and all for

A MERRY
XMAS

and a

Happy
New Year

GLEN'S AUTO WRECKAGE
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Here's to everyone we know—and all those many others we would like to know. To one and all—our best wishes for

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
PROSPEROUS 1935

Edmonton Beauty Parlors
10158 Jasper Phone 24558
10115 102 St. Phone 24554
MR. HARRY CROSS, Mgr.

Christmas Peace

On every hand prevails the Christmas Spirit. May we add our humble greetings and best wishes for the future.

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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10157 102 St.
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A Right Merry Christmas and a Bountiful New Year to Our Friends and Patrons.

HOOSON CO.
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We Heartily Wish You and Yours
A MERRY CHRISTMAS, HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY
Throughout the New Year.

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We Wish You

A Merry
Christmas

And a long run of prosperity throughout the New Year.

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Hunters', Trappers' Supplies
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We appreciate the goodwill and patronage you have extended to us and wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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It is our hearty wish that our many friends and patrons may have a

Joyful
Christmas

and a

Happy New
Year

International Hotel
C. RUHL, Prop.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

To those who helped make our year a pleasant and prosperous one, we send our deep felt thanks and a word of appreciation in this Christmas Greeting.

Star Beauty Parlor
9544 Jasper Ave. Ph. 25284
Mr. R. McGillicuddy
M. Shields L. Dawson

Best Wishes

To All Our Friends and Patrons for a Real
MERRY CHRISTMAS
and
Happiness and Prosperity Throughout the New Year.

T. H. Morgan
LIMITED
ART DEALERS
10355 Jasper Ave. Ph. 24858

A Merry
Christmas
and a Most
Happy and
Prosperous 1935

TURNER'S BAKERY
10135 101 St. Ph. 22226

We Extend to Our Patrons and Friends
A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

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A VERY
MERRY CHRISTMAS
to our many Friends and Patrons.

HEALY MOTORS
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SEASON'S GREETINGS

To All Our
Friends and Patrons, and a Very Merry Christmas.

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Stone's
MEAT MARKET
6507 - 112 Avenue
Ph. 71707

Take great pleasure in wishing all their friends and customers a very Merry Christmas Season, with joy and prosperity throughout the New Year.

A
Very
Merry
Christmas

and a
PROSPEROUS
NEW YEAR

To Our Many Patrons, Friends and Business Associates.

Kenward's Shoe Repair Shop
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At this happy season our most sincere wish to you and yours is for a

Real Merry
Christmas

and a

HAPPY NEW YEAR

R. L. Greene
and Company, Ltd.
10158 Jasper Ave. Ph. 27181
REAL ESTATE, RENTALS INSURANCE

Christmas
Greetings

A Right Merry Christmas for You and Yours and Best Wishes for the Coming New Year

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That You May Feast
Royally During the
FESTIVE SEASON
and the Coming
NEW YEAR
Is the Earnest
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"Under Burns' Clock"
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SINCERE GREETINGS
To One and All
for a
MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY NEW YEAR

General Supply Wreckage
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A MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
To All Our Friends and Clients

Kenwood & Kenwood
10119 100A St. Ph. 21583

Our Sincere Wish:
A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL

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Magee & Macrae Bldg. Ph. 24025

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
To All Patrons and Business Associates.

Central Radiator Works
10165 99 St. Ph. 21557
J. D. Potts, Mgr.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

CHAS. A. ANDERSON
McCormick-Deering Farm Machinery
10167 100A St. Ph. 24701

A Little Expression of Friendship and Best Wishes to All Our Patrons, Friends and Business Associates—

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

American Dairy Lunch
(Next Strand Theatre)

Our wish to you and yours is that this Christmas may bring joys in abundance, health overflowing, wealth for all needs and the merriment that goes with these blessings.

Oliver Limited
12116 - 104 Ave.
Phone 25101

A Merry
Christmas

Is Our Sincere Wish
to our many friends
and patrons

THE CECIL HOTEL
Joseph A. Beauchamp, Prop
10406 JASPER AVENUE
Ph. 21131

Extending

Sincere
Greetings

Of the Season

Mrs. Robert McDonald
and Staff of the

YALE and SELKIRK HOTELS

Sincere Wishes
for a
Happy
Christmas
and
Health, Wealth and Happiness for the New Year.

ASSOCIATED AGENCIES
Real Estate and Insurance
418 Empire Blk. Ph. 24377

The Best of
Good Wishes
To All

and may the coming year contain for you all the good cheer we are sending.

Union Cigar Store
9978 Jasper Ave.
Phone 29913

All The Joy
In The World

That, in measure expresses our wish for you this Christmas—and may the New Year bring Peace, Contentment and Happiness.

Edmonton Towel Supply Company
11102 Jasper Avenue

We Extend to All at This Time Hearty Wishes for a
MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

YE OLD ENGLISH FISH & CHIP HOUSE
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A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR
TO ALL
Is the Sincere Wish Extended to You by

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May the Great Gifts of
HEALTH, HAPPINESS AND ENDURING FRIENDSHIP
be yours in abundance this Christmas season and throughout the New Year

THE PEKIN SHOPPE
10117 102 Street

Season's
Greetings

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

Wherever you may be,
Whatever you may do,
May each Yuletide season
Bring you joys anew,
May the New Year bring wealth, happiness, joy and health, is our sincere Christmas wish to you.

F. J. Lorimer & Co.
Real Estate, Rentals, Insurance
603 Agency Bldg. Ph. 21341

A Joyous
Christmas

and

PROSPEROUS 1935

Is the Sincere Wish of

Prince Rupert Fish
Stall 1, City Fish Market
Phone 25328

Merry
Christmas

To You

May it be but the forerunner to a prosperous year to come!

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Women Appointed

LONDON, Dec. 24—Two women have been appointed among 27 district officers appointed to take charge of large areas under the Unemployment Assistance Board.

FAMILY OF 7 ATTEND SCHOOL

HALIFAX, Dec. 24.—A family of seven, all going to school, is a record set up in Halifax. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. MacHattie, missionaries from China, are here on one year's furlough. They have five sons, two of whom are going to college, one to high school and two to common school.

"My husband and I are taking college classes in order to help us in our work in China," declared Mrs. MacHattie, who has a B.Sc. from Dalhousie University. Mr MacHattie is a B.Sc. from McGill University and has been a missionary for more than 20 years. Mrs. MacHattie is taking classes in Education at Dalhousie and studying philosophy of Religion, physchology of Religion at Pine Hill College. Her husband has classes every day at Pine Hill in theological subjects similar to a first year course in Divinity.

Their sons, Lloyd and Leslie, are trying for Bachelor of Science degrees. Harvey is attending Halifax Academy and Graham and Lorne are pupils at Tower Road School. All of the boys have studied in the Far East.

Fortunes Gone: Sells Matches

LONDON, Dec. 24. — She sells matches now at a London pitch and has done so for 11 years. Miss Katherine Lucile Foote has spent three fortunes and will not go back to America poor.

Miss Foote is one of the few London street characters with a true American accent. Her father was a Colonel and her mother a society beauty from Washington. On her 20th birthday she was on the stage, with a brilliant future before her.

From the bottom she worked to the top—from an American three-shows-a-day circuit to London stardom. Marie Tempest, Ellaline Terris and Seymour Hicks knew her and she was with George Edwardes for three or four years. She was playing as star at the Gaiety the day before embarking on a 20 weeks' tour of Australia.

Then came the first of her marriages, to an Australian. He died and left her $100,000. She married the nephew of the then Lord Mayor of London, and he died too. She had a second fortune. Her third husband was Isidor Maas, a wholesale tobacco merchant, who died and left her a third fortune.

Then, after many losses at Monte Carlo gaming tables the end came. She was too old for any other work, and selling matches gives her sufficient to live on.

The amount of branded beef sold in Canada during the month of October was 2,840,634 lbs. The amount in October, 1933, was 2,310,955 lbs.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE — By Ahern

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SHAKESPEARE LED WILD LIFE

HORE, Dec. 24. — Giovanni Papini, the Italian author, is "debunking" Shakespeare.

He charges Shakespeare with:

1—Starting life as a butcher and coming of a none too respectable a family.

2—Seducing Ann Hathaway when he was eighteen and having to marry her in a great hurry.

3—Having been beaten and imprisoned for stealing a deer from the estate of Sir Thomas Lucy.

4—Being the father of Sir William Davenant by the landlady of the Crown Inn at Oxford, an old Restoration story revived by Papini.

5—Pleasing another landlady by acting as go-between to persuade a wealthy barber to marry the landlady's daughter.

6—Dying of alcohol poisoning.

None of these charges, in Papini's view, detract from Shakespeare's fame as a great writer. It amuses him, however, that such stories should have worried the mid-Victorian English people to such an extent that they felt impelled to find another Shakespeare for their national hero, an aristocrat like Byron, for example.

Weather Makes Gypsies Urban

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Gypsies from all parts of the countryside are flocking into the towns for warmth and comfort with the coming of winter, the lanes and fields not providing these, of course.

These migrants are not all of pure Romany blood, for there are few of that stock in Britain today, and they are to be found chiefly in Norfolk, the North (Westmorland and Cumberland), Wales and Scotland. A census of the real gypsy population of the country would probably put the total at a little over 2,000, some of whom talk a kind of Romani, although few know anything of the old "deep" language, or Shelta, which has been described as "the secret language of the bards."

The enclosure of the commons by the landowners has made it difficult for the gypsies to survive in their original state. The arrival of the railway, too, has changed the aspect of the countryside and has made it uncomfortable for them, and now there is the motor-car and the charabanc. Times have indeed changed for the gypsies, many of whom live in neat bungalows and drive their own cars, like Levi Boswell—variant of Bosville, the name of the "Flaming Tinman." Boswell claimed to be king of the gypsies and when he died a year or two ago a hearse, drawn by six black horses, bore him to his last resting-place, and his widow followed in a luxurious motor-car.

But the majority of gypsies still prefer to live in a "hatchin tan" (encampment) during summer and in a town or its outskirts in winter. The "wind on the heath" is not so sweet when the short, cold days come round.

Man 106 Years Old Puts In Ad For Job

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Personal advertisement in the London Post:

"Man, aged 106, active as at 40, needs employment."

Qualifications included a 'youthful appearance' and ability as a linguist.

A dueling school still exists in Paris; an average of one duel a year still takes place somewhere near that city

SCARFACE AL WON OVER BY NEW PRISON

Deposed Gang Chief Prefers Alcatraz to Quarters in Atlanta

cisco Bay, Dec. 24—From grimaces
cisco Bay, Dec. 22.—From grimacies of resentment to smiles.

The swarthy face of Al Capone, deposed high lord of America's gangdom, reflects a new sentiment today.

When transferred from the Atlanta federal prison to Uncle Sam's new "Devil's Isle" here last August, Capone protested:

"What's the idea. I'm not a desperate character. I've a good prison record!"

"BETTER THAN ATLANTA"

But time heals wounded feelings, even Capone's, and now America's ex-public enemy No. 1 considers his transfer here a "good break."

"This is better than Atlanta," Capone has told other convicts.

Capone has another reason to smile. Warden James A. Johnston announced the ninety-day "isolation period" of Capone and his 200 hand-picked playmates from the hard-boiled ranks of Atlanta, Leavenworth and other federal prisons was nearing an end. Alcatraz prisoners will now be allowed a few privileges—a very few, the warden said.

VISITORS LISTED

"The inmates will now be able to receive visitors," Warden Johnston told International News Service. "Our restrictions are tough, however, and I expect very few persons to come here.

"Every inmate has been requested to give a list of prospective visitors. Every name submitted to me has been carefully investigated.

"No visitor will be allowed on the island without my personal approval."

Johnston also revealed that the population of Alcatraz has swelled to 212. Last week government agents secretly removed two new "bad men" of Atlanta here. The warden refused to disclose the new inmates' identity.

No Flying Bills As Money Burns

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Even in these days there is money to burn—but the people that burn it are the government authorities.

A special furnace now used by the Canadian government to destroy old currency was described by C. P. C. Downman, editor of the Royal Bank Magazine, in an address before a local Y.M.C.A. group. The furnace, he said, is locked when filled with old "bills" which are reduced to very fine ashes before being removed. Mr. Downman remarked that with this special furnace there is no longer the possibility of half-burned currency notes floating from the chimney into the hands of some passing citizen.

The delicate electrical devices used to weigh and sort the coinage, and the operations involved in the manufacture of Canadian coinage, paper money and other negotiable certificates were also described by Mr. Downman.

Two Doctors Plead Guilty To Charges

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Two men pleaded guilty to practicing medicine without a license in special sessions. One was an eminent Berlin plastic surgeon who fled to America to escape anti-Semitism. The other was denounced in court as a "charlatan."

The first, Dr. Kurt Engleman, has gained international fame by restoring the features of accident victims.

The second was John J. Rigley, forty-eight. He was called a "charlatan" when the prosecutor presented evidence to show that he had treated a patient for supposed cancer of the lip. The salve Rigley prescribed was alleged to have eaten away the patient's jaw

Chewses to Be Beautiful—Lo! She Is

A little wad of gum, chewed rhythmically, with systematic tosses of the head—and you'll be beautiful. At least, that's the formula given 700 professional models in Chicago by beauty experts, demonstrated here by Helen Grimm. Firm, beautiful cheeks and a graceful neckline result from the exercise, declare the authorities.

Traditional Day Of Joy Turns To Gloom By Death Of 2 Score

By Associated Press

The day before Christmas, traditional day of joy, became one of sorrow today for several American families, saddened by tragedies that brought death to some two-score persons.

Seven members of a single family died Sunday at the hands of a distraught mother; at least 14 persons died in automobile accidents; three were killed in a train wreck; 10 were lost in aeroplane crashes; three died in a hotel fire, and at least two in a burning tug.

Pittsburgh—After playing Santa Claus to her brother's children, Mrs. Kathryn Schech, 37, crazed by the recent death of her own son, turned a revolver on the sleeping forms of six of the family, killing all but one. She then shot herself. Her sister was found slain at Dunkirk, N.Y.

Wilmington, Cal.—Lost in a heavy fog, Elmert R. Hunt, 29, drove his car off a pier, his wife and two children drowning. Hunt escaped.

Lincoln, Neb. — An automobile, crashing into a truck, brought death to four.

Medora, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Eshom and their nine-months-old son, driving home from Sunday school Christmas exercises, were killed when their car was struck by a train.

Pittsburgh—Four persons died when a bus, carrying travellers home for Christmas, was in collision with an automobile

Delaware, O.—Two fast trains, bearing Christmas passengers and mail, crashed, killing three members of the locomotive crews

St. Louis—A student pilot's Christmas present to his room-mate, his first airplane ride, ended in death for both when the ship crashed.

Sunbright, Tenn. — An air mail pilot, Russell Riggs, was found dead in the burned wreck of his plane atop big Pilot Mountain.

Mazatlan, Mexico—Hope was abandoned for seven persons aboard a plane which fell into the Gulf of California.

Carlsbad, N.M.—Fire which destroyed the Carlsbad Inn brought death to three persons.

Fairport, O.—A fishing tug, wrecked by an explosion, burned to its water line. Coast guardsmen said they believed the two men aboard were blown overboard and killed.

Two Women Leap From Same Ferry

NEW YORK, N.Y., Dec. 24. — Out of 500 persons embarking on a Staten Island ferry recently, two women intended to drown themselves.

Midway across New York harbor, Mrs. Ruth Hoag, twenty-six, broke away from her husband and five-year-old daughter and jumped over the stern railing. At about the same moment, Miss Marie Bassett, fifty-nine, jumped over the bow railing.

Patrolman Reon Boerum leaped in after Mrs. Hoag and after a fifteen-minute fight, got her back to the boat. She was dead.

A lifeboat was lowered to help Patrolman Boerum and its crew sighted Miss Bassett. No one had seen her jump. The crew pulled her out alive. She was taken to a hospital where it was said she would survive.

Prisoner's Death In Cell Probed

CAMDEN, N.J., Dec. 24.—Authorities began an investigation into the death of Alfred J. Small, sixty-four, of Bayville, N.J., who was injured in an automobile accident, kept in a cell twenty-one hours without medical attention and died in a hospital.

Small's automobile struck a telephone pole and he was locked up. Dr. Walter C. Sooy, acting police surgeon, had examined him superficially and declared him intoxicated.

Small was removed to Cooper Hospital at Camden on Sunday after complaining of severe pains, and it was then discovered he had five broken ribs, a punctured lung and a broken arm

Dr. Sooy said the man did not complain of any injuries and admitted he had been drinking.

AUTO VICTIM KISSES DRIVER

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24. — Whether the youth remembered the admonition to "turn the other cheek" or had quaffed from a flowing bowl, Mrs. Flora Myers of Brentwood Heights is not certain.

But she felt she should report the matter to the police and, according to the resultant records, this is what occurred.

As she was driving slowly a young man suddenly stepped into the path of the car.

He was knocked to the pavement but before she could ascertain how badly he was injured, he jumped to his feet and to her query, "Are you hurt?" answered blithely:

"Hurt? Why my dear lady, even my feelings aren't hurt." Whereupon he threw his arms around her and kissed her.

Mrs. Meyers was so astonished she forgot to ask the man his name and address.

Hospital Is Called "Public Nuisance"

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—A hospital is a public nuisance.

That was the complaint of Mrs. Clara Weinberg, Brooklyn, against near-by Israel Zion Hospital.

Mrs. Weinberg and three neighbors declared that at least twenty times a month they were unable to sleep because of the noise from the hospital's maternity pavilion. So they brought Boris Fingerhood, superintendent, into Bay Ridge court on a charge of maintaining the nuisance.

Mrs. Weinberg suggested the maternity ward be shifted to the roof, and Magistrate Hirshfield asked if the "charitable neighbors" would pay the cost of moving

They said they would not, so the hearing was adjourned.

Ranchers Dance As Babies Wait

ADELAIDE, South Australia, Dec. 24—"If the Duke of Gloucester goes upcountry it would amuse him to attend a ranchers' dance", says a woman writer, referring to the royal visit for the Victoria Centenary.

"The mothers and fathers, who come from long distances, have to bring their babies as they naturally cannot leave them unattended in their bush homes. The babies usually are parked in a part of the hall separated from the dance and, as all babies will, howl lustily at intervals. A wonderful fact is that each mother recognizes her own baby's particular wail and breaks off in the middle of her dance to go and comfort him. The ranchers all do a 'turn' during the evening and the success of one entertainment was a rancher who recited a poem which lost nothing of its value desite the fact he had absent-mindedly come without his 'top set'."

HER 102ND BIRTHDAY IS SWELL AFFAIR

MONTREAL, Dec. 24. — A "perfectly wonderful time," was Mrs. William Ryder's description of her 102nd birthday party, held at her home here Saturday.

Her relatives and friends gathered to shower Mrs. Ryder with congratulations.

Hawks once were trained to catch wild horses by natives of Turkestan. The birds pecked at the horses' heads until the animals dropped from exhaustion

BRITAIN WILL SPEED UP ITS AIR DEFENCE

Expansion Plan for Royal Air Force Completed in Two Years

LONDON, Dec. 24—Last summer the British government announced plans to strengthen the Royal Air Force, making it the equal of any force within "striking distance," in a period of five years; the recent statement of Stanley Baldwin on the actual programme indicates the work will be completed within two years. Approval has been given to completion of a very substantial part of the entire programme by 1936, indicating the British government takes a serious view of the present state of affairs.

By March, 1937, the end of the 1936 fiscal year, the Royal Air Force will comprise 118 squadrons. British first-line strength will be about 1,450 aeroplanes, and the personnel will be increased by 800 officers and 5,000 men.

NEW SQUADRONS

In the years 1935 and 1936, 22 new squadrons will be formed for home defence and three squadrons will be added to the strength of the Fleet Air Arm. Four new squadrons are forming this year. By the end of 1936 the British air strength as measured in first-line aircraft will be increased by approximately 300 over the present figure of 880, which comprises 560 machines at present stationed at home or with the Fleet Air Arm and the aircraft of numerous units scattered in three continents overseas.

Mr. Baldwin revealed that since July more than 90 sites for new aerodromes have been surveyed in 19 different counties. Sites for 11 new stations have been finally selected; of those 11, six have been acquired or are in process of acquisition. Plans for altering or increasing about 40 of the existing stations are well advanced. At some places work has already begun.

MORE FLYING PERSONNEL

Substantially more aircraft and aero engines will be ordered next year than in 1934. More flying personnel are wanted; Mr. Baldwin stated that an additional flying training school had been opened, and that another will be opened in April, 1935. The number of short-service officers is being augmented and the annual entry of pilots in civil life who are directed to the Air Force reserve will be about 100 per cent greater in 1935 than this year. The entry of aircraft apprentices to the training station at Halton will be doubled in January.

The Lord President paid tribute to the high efficiency and the unrivalled reputation of the Royal Air Force and of the aircraft material it employs. He said: "People are sometimes apt to forget with what respect our air service is regarded in the world. There have been officers from nearly every nation in the world seeking to come and have a short term of training with our men. Our machines and our engines are used in almost every country in the world; there are none today which are better."

Rattler Indifferent To Poisonous Spider

BILLINGS, Mont., Dec. 24 — Two battlers with deadly reputations weren't exactly belligerent when pitted against each other here.

Erl M. Farr clamped a black widow spider into a cage with a rattlesnake and sat back to watch the battle.

There wasn't any battle. The spider attempted to bite the snake's head, failed and retired to a ceiling. The rattler displayed complete indifference.

Defendant Is Found Seated With Jury

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 24—The jury was ready but the man to be tried could not be found.

Pages scurried through the lobbies, calling for Frank J. Tepper.

The charge against Tepper was that he sold beer on Sunday, which is against the law in Pennsylvania

Unruffled, a member of the jury spoke up:

"Looking for Tepper?—I'm Tepper."

Court attaches, bewildered by the situation, told Judge William M. McNaughter who immediately changed Tepper's status from that of juror to defendant.

Tepper walked out a free man. Judge McNaughter nolle prossed the charge after hearing evidence that he had been led through friendship to sell the beer to two policemen.

REMONETIZING OF SILVER TO BE U.S. ISSUE

Congressional Silverites Girding to Request Legislation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Silverites in congress served notice they would battle at the coming session of congress for legislation making remonetization of silver mandatory.

Senator Pat McCarran, Democrat, of Nevada said:

"There will be a meeting shortly of senators favoring remonetization of silver at which plans will be made for action at the forthcoming session of congress.

"Undoubtedly a motion will be made in the senate for remonetization of silver. It will be decided later who will offer the motion."

NO AGREEMENT NEEDED

Silver legislation passed in the last session of congress was merely a gesture in the right direction," McCarran said, continuing:

"Congress should now remonetize silver, recognize it as money and take silver out of the commodity class.

"The United States can go it alone on bi-metallism. We do not need an international agreement, though that would be desirable. We were able as an infant nation to declare both gold and silver basic money. Now that we are a strong nation we certainly ought to be able to decide for ourselves what kind of money we shall have.

"Remonetization of silver by the United States would help bring about world-wide commercial recovery."

KING SATISFIED

McCarran's blast followed statements by Senator King, Democrat, of Utah, that he was satisfied with progress being made by the administration under silver legislation passed at the last session of congress.

King, a strong advocate of bimetallism, declared he did not believe additional legislation on the subject necessary at this time.

Pursuant to an act of congress, the treasury department is buying silver with a view to obtaining a metallic monetary reserve of three-fourths gold and one-fourth silver. King believes the price of silver within two years will reach $1.29 an ounce and that when it does there will be an international agreement to stabilize at that figure.

BORAH WAITING

Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, also a champion of bimetalism, is marking time on the issue, pending return to Washington of other leaders in the silver movement.

Senator Thomas, Democrat, of Oklahoma, leader of the monetary expense forces in congress was en route here to join the drive for inflation. He was in Detroit today to confer with Father Charles E. Coughlin on monetary legislation.

Looks To Canada For Immigration

MONTREAL, Dec. 24. — Keenly interested in the possibilities of Canada as a land for the settlement of surplus British population but disappointed to find immigration practically at a standstill, D. G. Somerville, M.P. for East Willesden, passed through Montreal on what he described as an educational tour.

Mr. Somerville is president and managing director of the British public works contracting firm which improved the British cemeteries in France following the war. One of the achievements of the firm is the huge Menin Gate Memorial at Ypres. Constructed of French stone, this monument weighs 20,000 tons and bears the names of 60,000 missing British soldiers.

Boy, 11, Kills Self Because Of Scolding

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Because his mother reprimanded him for buying an automobile without her permission, Donald Heck, eighteen years old, shot and killed himself.

The youth's body was found by the mother, who heard the shot. She notified police, and after they had determined that the shooting was suicide she told them of the reprimand.

"A man came around to my home," she told the Burnside police, "and said his car had been damaged in an accident by one owned by my son. He wanted me to pay for the damages.

"That was the first I had known about Donald having an automobile, and I reprimanded him for not having told me that he had bought it."

ENGLISH SOCCER LEADERS DEFEATED

Iron Shortage

CANBERRA, Dec. 24.—Owing to the shortage of galvanized iron in Australia importations of this product under certain conditions will be permitted till the end of 1934.

Calgary Holdup

CALGARY, Dec. 24.—William F. Hyrym, a cleaner, was robbed of $10 when an armed man held up his shop here early yesterday and escaped.

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BIG LEAGUE HOCKEYISTS REAL TOUGH

Normie Himes Plays Game With Cheek-bone Fractured

It has well been said that players in the National Hockey League are a hardy lot, who stoically carry on enduring injuries and ailments that would lay up the athletes in other sports.

"Red" Dutton of the New York Americans recently played with a couple of broken ribs, figuring that after shrapnel wounds sustained in France, broken ribs were only a small circumstance.

Doug. Young played for Detroit Red Wings against St. Louis the other night with a broken hand heavily taped.

THIS TAKES NERVE

Larry Northcott scored three goals for Maroons last winter with his thumb broken and taped.

Aurel Joliat played against Rangers in a play-off a few seasons back hopping on his right leg, his left dangling helplessly.

Nels Stewart had two teeth kicked out in a game and didn't even leave the ice.

Players by the score get cut, stitched up and are back in play in a single game.

Let Joe Simpson tell about the amazing nerve and courage of little Normie Himes, his center-ice star, once termed "the perfect hockey player."

HERE'S A FEAT

Americans were playing in Chicago. Joe tells the story.

"Just before the end of the second period someone shot the rubber, Oliver tried to stop it and it glanced off his stick and hit Himes under the eye. Normie didn't complain between the periods, and with the game almost over I sent him on to hold our lead. He was seated down at the other end of the bench, and I didn't get a good look at his face until the game was over. Then I was terrified. It was swollen ten times its natural size. Yet he had gone on the ice without a complaint.

"I took him to a doctor and it was discovered that two bones were broken, one right under the eye, and a splinter had gone up just to escape piercing the eyeball.

"An operation was necessary. They had to wire up a bone, and Normie will have to be very careful. He thinks he can come back in two weeks, but I want him to wait until there isn't any doubt about his injury. From what I have been told, he may lose the sight of one eye if he is hit again, and I don't want anything like that to happen. But I do want to say that I never saw more gameness on the ice than Normie showed in Chicago."

Scots Greatest In Native Mind

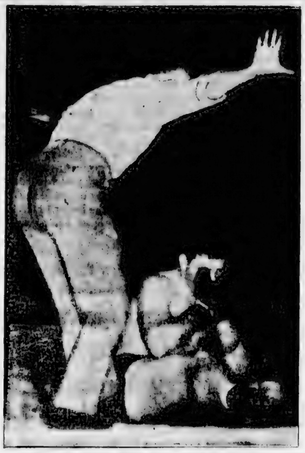
LONDON, Dec. 24.—In his recent rectorial address at St. Andrew's University, General Jan Christian Smuts, the South African statesman, gave an amusing account of his first introduction to the Scots.

"My people," he said, "were small farming folk in the old Cape Colony, and when I was a small boy I used to frequent the company of an old Hottentot shepherd, who delighted me with stories from his native folklore. He had been to several Kaffir wars and could tell me of his own wonderful feats of arms in those border campaigns. I listened enthralled.

"At that time the first Boer War was going on, and I asked him who he thought would win. From his great military experience he had no doubt that the English would win. I asked him whether he thought the English were the greatest nation in the world, and he replied 'No,' and added that there was one nation still greater who lived in the farthest land in the world. They were the greatest of all nations, and even the English were much afraid of them; they were called the Scots."

Mickey's First Kayo

This is a picture that veteran ring experts never expected to see. Mickey Walker, the "Toy Bulldog" of Rumson, N.J., former holder of two world's titles, welterweight and middleweight, and a man who has fought the best scrappers in almost every class from lightweight to heavyweight, is taking a 10 count on the canvas of a Philadelphia ring. He was knocked out in the 11th round of a scheduled 12-round fight, by Paul Pirrone, new middleweight contender. It was the first time Mickey Walker had ever been knockout out.



Soccer Standings

(December 22nd Inclusive.)

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

Club—	P	W	L	D	Goals F	A	Pts
Sunderland	20	11	4	3	44	24	27
Arsenal	20	10	4	6	63	28	26
Stoke City	20	12	7	1	45	30	25
Manchester C.	20	11	6	3	39	32	25
W. Bromwich	20	10	6	4	50	43	24
Liverpool	20	11	7	2	41	46	24
Derby County	20	10	8	2	43	33	22
Grimsby Town	20	8	6	6	39	29	22
Everton	20	9	7	4	40	34	22
Sheffield Wed	20	8	7	5	31	33	21
Leeds United	20	6	7	7	36	43	19
Aston Villa	19	7	7	5	35	43	19
Portsmouth	19	7	8	4	37	36	18
Tottenham H.	20	7	9	4	31	38	18
Wolverhampton	20	7	10	3	39	44	17
Preston N.E.	20	6	9	5	29	37	17
Birmingham	20	8	11	1	26	42	17
Blackburn R.	20	5	9	6	28	39	16
Middlesboro	20	4	9	7	30	36	15
Huddersfield	20	6	11	3	35	43	15
Chelsea	20	7	12	1	28	43	15
Leicester C.	20	5	11	4	29	44	14

Second Division

Club—	P	W	L	D	Goals F	A	Pts
Brentford	20	13	3	4	53	26	30
Bolton Wan.	20	15	5	0	54	27	30
Manchester U.	20	14	6	0	44	27	28
West Ham. U.	20	13	5	2	44	31	28
Notts Forest	20	10	5	5	38	30	25
Blackpool	20	10	6	4	39	31	24
Newcastle U.	20	11	9	0	42	39	22
Bury	20	10	8	2	25	27	22
Fulham	20	8	7	5	35	28	21
Plymouth A.	20	9	7	3	40	37	21
Burnley	20	9	8	3	35	33	21
Barnsley	20	7	9	4	30	45	18
Bradford City	20	7	10	3	28	33	17
Bradford	20	4	7	9	24	30	17
Hull City	20	7	10	3	29	40	17
Sheffield Utd.	20	6	10	4	38	35	16
Southampton	20	4	8	8	25	40	16
Norwich City	20	5	10	5	34	34	15
Swansea Town	20	5	10	5	27	34	15
Port Vale	20	4	9	7	25	34	15
Oldham Ath.	20	5	12	3	27	48	13
Notts County	20	2	13	5	19	46	9

Third Division—Northern Section

Club—	P	W	L	D	Goals F	A	Pts
Tranmere R.	18	13	1	4	39	14	30
Halifax Town	20	13	4	3	39	25	29
Doncaster R.	18	10	3	5	30	16	25
Chester	19	9	4	5	37	18	23
Darlington	18	9	5	4	36	28	22
Stockport C.	18	10	7	1	45	30	21
Lincoln City	18	9	6	3	34	22	21
Wrexham	18	8	5	5	34	24	21
Mansfield T.	18	9	6	3	31	25	21
Crewe A.	19	8	7	4	40	42	20
Chesterfield	19	7	8	4	29	25	18
Barrow	18	6	7	5	26	29	17
Rotherham U.	17	6	7	4	28	31	16
Accrington S.	20	6	10	4	28	40	16
York City	18	6	10	2	27	40	14
Rochdale	18	5	9	4	18	36	14
New Brighton	18	4	9	5	18	27	13
Gateshead	17	5	9	3	25	37	13
Walsall	19	3	10	6	24	32	12
Carlisle Utd.	18	5	11	2	22	39	12
Southport C.	18	4	10	4	26	42	12
Hartlepool U.	17	4	11	2	26	39	10

Southern Section

Club—	P	W	L	D	Goals F	A	Pts
Charlton Ath.	19	12	4	3	45	26	27
Reading	18	11	5	2	45	21	24
Crystal Pal.	18	9	4	5	37	29	23
Coventry City	18	9	5	4	38	20	22
Luton Town	19	8	5	6	33	23	22
Watford	18	9	6	3	35	24	21
Bristol City	18	9	6	3	23	33	21
Millwall Ath.	19	9	7	3	28	28	21
Brighton	18	8	6	4	29	18	20
Northampton	18	8	7	3	25	27	19
Newport C.	19	8	8	3	29	39	19
Cardiff City	20	6	8	6	29	42	18
Swindon Town	18	6	7	5	35	31	17
Clapton O	18	7	8	3	28	27	17
Torquay U.	18	8	9	1	34	36	17
Bristol Rovers	18	5	7	6	28	40	16
Exeter City	18	5	8	5	28	32	15
Queens Park R.	18	5	8	5	19	28	15
Gillingham	19	4	9	6	27	37	14
Aldershot	18	4	9	5	18	29	13
Bournemouth	18	5	11	2	22	33	12
Southend Utd.	19	3	11	5	26	44	11

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

First Division

Club—	P	W	L	D	Goals F	A	Pts
Rangers	21	14	4	3	60	27	31
Hearts	22	12	3	7	47	23	31
Hamilton A.	22	12	3	7	57	35	31
Celtic	23	13	6	4	53	24	30
St. Johnstone	22	12	4	6	40	23	30
Aberdeen	23	12	6	5	42	32	29
Dundee	23	11	7	5	39	37	27
Motherwell	22	10	7	5	49	32	25
Kilmarnock	23	11	10	2	49	39	24
Clyde	22	9	7	6	38	34	24
Hibernians	22	9	8	5	34	32	23
Queen of South	22	8	9	5	30	33	21
Airdrie	22	8	10	4	32	41	20
Albion Rovers	22	7	10	5	29	41	19
Queens Park	21	5	10	6	25	46	16
Partick T.	21	6	12	3	28	41	15
Ayr United	22	6	13	3	31	63	15
Falkirk	21	4	14	3	30	40	11
St. Mirren	22	3	16	3	18	44	9
Dunfermline	22	3	16	3	25	69	9

Second Division

Club—	P	W	L	D	Goals F	A	Pts
Third Lanark	20	13	3	4	54	26	30
Stenhousemuir	21	12	5	4	53	34	28
Arbroath	20	14	6	0	51	34	28
St. Bernard's	20	11	5	4	63	27	26
Kings Park	20	12	6	2	52	40	26
East Fife	20	11	7	2	49	38	24
Dundee Utd.	19	10	6	3	54	32	23
East Stirling	20	8	7	5	35	39	21
Morton	20	8	8	4	53	38	20
Leith Ath.	20	9	8	2	32	44	20
Alloa	20	7	8	5	36	33	19
Forfar Ath.	20	7	8	5	40	42	19
Cowdenbeath	20	7	10	3	47	50	17
Raith Rovers	20	6	12	2	40	49	14
Dumbarton	20	5	11	4	32	55	14
Montrose	20	4	11	5	37	59	13
Brechin City	20	5	12	3	28	65	13
Edinboro City	20	2	17	1	25	76	5

IRISH LEAGUE

Club—	P	W	L	D	Goals F	A	Pts
Linfield	19	16	0	3	63	13	35
Derry City	19	13	4	2	43	24	28
Celtic	19	12	5	2	74	29	26
Glentoran	19	11	4	4	50	30	26
Portadown	19	9	6	4	42	31	22
Distillery	19	8	7	4	35	33	20
Glenavon	19	7	8	4	36	42	18
Ballymena U.	19	6	8	5	36	40	17
Cliftonville	19	7	10	2	36	51	16
Newry Town	19	6	11	1	54	60	13
Larne	19	5	9	5	29	41	15
Coleraine	19	6	11	2	32	45	14
Ards	19	3	14	2	32	70	8
Bangor	19	0	13	6	24	77	6

Why Balk Charity?

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A woman selling matches in Baker street arrested for "placing herself in the street to gather alms," found a champion in Police Magistrate Ivan Snell. He dismissed the charge, remarking that if kindhearted people chose to give the woman sixpence he did not know why they should not.

O. C. FOOTBALL

BELFAST, Dec. 24.—Irish Soccer League matches Saturday resulted as follows:

Coleraine 3, Ards 0
Glenavon 2, Distillery 2.
Ballymena 3, Newry 2
Bangor 0, Linfield 4
Glentoran 2, Derry 1.
Cliftonville 0, Portadown 5.
Celtic 2, Larne 3.

SUNDERLAND LOSES AFTER HAVING LEAD

Liverpool Soccer Eleven Marks Up Triumph By 3-2 Margin

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Leaders of the First Division in the English Football League, embarked on the toughest schedule of the year, last night faced the rest of the week with some cause for gloom. All were beaten in Saturday's games.

Sunderland retained top place in the standings despite a 3-2 beating from Liverpool. The team's defeat came as surprise after it had a lead of 2-1 at half time.

Arsenal also started ahead but took a 3-1 beating from Derby County. The Gunners were in the lead 1-0 at half time.

Wolverhampton scored a 5-0 victory over Manchester City at home after running in four goals before half time. Wrigglesworth scored twice and Hartill, Hollingsworth and Jones once each.

Stoke City downed Huddersfield Town 4-1 in a patchy game, while Aston Villa and Blackburn Rovers played a 1-1 tie. During a melee a Blackburn player was struck and knocked down. It could not be seen who struck the blow but it was believed league officials would investigate the incident.

Brentford's 2-1 victory over Sheffield kept the team in the lead of the Second Division by small fraction. Fletcher and Hopkins gave Brentford its goals before half time and Boyd got the loser's single. Newcastle United looked like a First Division team as it downed Burnley 3-0 with a skillful attack and a rocklike defence.

Charlton Athletic held onto top place in the southern section of the Third Division by a 3-1 victory over the second place Reading team. Reading scored first when Tait banged in a ground shot, but Harris equalized before the halfway mark. Reading lost its goalkeeper in the second half when he had to retire with a twisted knee. His place was taken by the rightback. Hibbis and Wilkinson completed Charlton's score

Tranmere Rovers stayed in top spot on the northern section after playing a scoreless draw with fourth-place Chester. It was a dull game.

ONOWAY PLANS RING TOURNEY

ONOWAY, Dec. 24.—Young La Rocque, local scrapper, plans to hold a boxing and wrestling show in that city December 28. Two wrestling and one boxing bout are to make up the card, with a dance to follow after the bouts.

In the main event eight-round wrestling bout will be seen Mike Cutcher, Edmonton Y.M.C.A. instructor, and Ed Roux, who conducts a business in Edmonton and wrestles for the love of the sport. As there is considerable rivalry between these two this bout will be interesting.

For the special event of five rounds, two newcomers from the coast will be seen in action, Joe Bush of Vancouver and Pat Flannigan of Victoria. Both Flannigan and Bush are rated high in their division and will give the customers a fine display of the new 1934 style of grappling.

For the main boxing bout La Rocque himself will trade punches with Jack Scott of Calgary in an eight-round bout that should see plenty of fighting. Scott is a rough and tough figher and La Rocque is no slouch when it comes to handing out rights and lefts. There will be a dance after the bouts with an imported orchestra supplying the latest in snappy music.

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SAFEWAY - CANADIANS WIN LEAD IN JUNIOR LOOP

FROOD MINE HOCKEY STAR LOSES EYE IN ICE BATTLE

SUDBURY, Ont., Dec. 24—Ronald Silver, member of the Frood Mine team of the Northern Ontario Hockey Association, was reported last night by Dr. W. A. MacAuley as "progressing very nicely" following an operation for the removal of his right eye. Silver, former member of Saskatoon Quakers, suffered an injury to his eye during a hockey match when his nose also was broken. Dr. MacAuley said it would be two or three months before an operation could be performed on the nose.

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Two World's Swimming Marks Broken By Katherine Rawls

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Dec. 24.—Two world's swimming records were broken here Sunday by Katherine Rawls, Fort Lauderdale, and Ralph Flannagan, Coral Gables. Miss Rawls clipped three seconds from her own 300-yard medley record for the short course. Her time was 4:53. Flanagan beat the 500-metre free-style record held by Jack Medica, Seattle, by four seconds. His time was six minutes, 20.4 seconds.

PATS and PANS by —BILL LEWIS—

To sports fans who read this collection of paragraphs regularly or intermittently; to athletes in all branches of the sportive list; to hard-working club and league officials who devote their spare hours to the interests of different games; and, also, to friends one does not always have the pleasure of seeing personally at this season, the writer wants to say: "Merry Christmas!" It's a happy time of the year and here's hoping this greeting finds everyone enjoying it aplenty. . . . Here's a "Thank you," too, for the many cards of remembrance received by your agent.

Eskimos arrived home from their Pacific Coast invasion last night under the wing of their new manager, "Artful Arthur" Gagne. . . . Gagne immediately went into a huddle with Henry Roche, new owner of the club, and they came out of it with the announcement they had secured one new forward in the person of Steve Nicharz, of Winnipeg, former Detroit Olympic and London Tecumseh player. . . . They will spend Christmas Day in Calgary, where there is a game scheduled.

Coach Lefty Grove's Canadians jumped out in front of the pack in the Junior Hockey League race yesterday when they gained a well-earned 2-1 decision over Edmonton Athletic Club, with whom they had previously been tied. . . . It was the first time this year either of the teams had been able to gain a decision over the other, their two earlier games resulting in draws. . . . As the score so well indicates, it was a hard-fought battle but the Canucks were full value for their win, showing plenty of speed and fight. . . . There are going to be some tough battles in the league this winter.

The juniors, by the way, provide the holiday hockey entertainment here, with an all-star array meeting Saskatoon Wesleys, who have long had an important name in Western Canada. . . . Local fans have seen them perform before and know of the class most of the Wesley teams have had.

Leroy Goldsworthy celebrated his recent joining of Montreal Les Canadiens last night when he drove in a first-period goal that sent his new mates on their way to an impressive 4-1 victory over Chicago Blackhawks, pace-setters of the N.H.L. American section. . . . Red Beattie also did himself proud by handing Nels Stewart a pair of passes in the last couple of minutes that permitted big Nels to score the tying and winning goals for Boston over Detroit Red Wings.

And now for Christmas!!!

The great blue heron carries a comb on the claw of its middle toe.

Give E.A.C. First Defeat of Season By Margin of 2-1

Canadians Play Well To Take League Leadership In Junior Hockey; Have Merited Triumph.

By JACK DEAKIN

Those fighting Safeway-Canadians opened up the close race in the Junior Hockey league, broke away from their deadlock jinx with Edmonton Athletic Club and today are league-leaders—all as a result of their 2-1 triumph over the Carriganites at the Arena Sunday afternoon.

A small crowd of approximately 2,000 fans—the smallest Sunday crowd this season—braved the bitter cold weather and it's a tribute to the Junior league. They were true sports enthusiasts, that small group, for the thermometers read very close to 20 below.

SET FAST RACE IN "CLEAN" BATTLE

Both teams, however, set a blistering pace and stayed strictly to playing hockey as only in the last period did either team draw a penalty. It was the cleanest game this season but the fans "warmed up" to the battle and dull moments were seldom in evidence.

A goal in each of the first and second periods, coming with only a few seconds of play left in each chapter was the winning margin Canadians piled up. A sturdy defence, and three lines of fighting forwards, who never gave up back-checking, held off E.A.C.'s raids until the 15 minute mark in the third period, and then allowed only the one marker.

Canadians showed their finest brand of hockey Sunday. Never have they back-checked so well and their scoring punch packed the necessary power.

E. A. C. OUTPLAYED

For better than half of the game they outplayed, outskated and outsmarted the white and black clad E. A. C. squad and their triumph was a merited one.

Although they played a good game, Edmonton Athletic Club lacked its usual fighting spirit and their attacks could not be organized as they faced the sturdy Canadian defence line, or were stopped at mid-ice by the ever checking orange and black brigade, coached by Lefty Grove.

Five seconds remained in the initial chapter. The pew-holders shivered from the cold and prepared to leave for warmer parts in the spacious ice-palace, but they did not reach the heaters for a time at least. They stayed to see Canadians forge to the front when Ted Allard and Leo Lemieux put on a smart play. They carried the disc well into E. A. C.'s defence zone with Lemieux snapping a pass to Allard who drew Evans out of the net and scored smartly.

WARD GETS IT

Again Canadians were not rewarded with a tally until near the end of the middle period, but this time only two seconds remained, but there still remained a large section of the fans to cheer Canadians into their two-goal lead.

It was Eric "Wampus" Ward, Harry Robertson's rugged defence mate, who scored the goal that gave Canadians their triumph. It came with only two seconds to go and Ward's effort was a brilliant one, typical of his fighting spirit as he broke up an E.A.C. raid at mid-ice and battled through his opposing defence and his shot along the ice had Evans beaten. The puck never left the ice, slipping under Evans' skate as the brilliant puck stopper went to kick it out.

STRONG DEFENCE

It meant triumph for the fighting Canucks as they put on a tight defence and held the raiding E.A.C.'s scoreless until the 15 minute mark in the final frame.

Jack Ainsworth, fiery-thatched centre, assisted by Phats Rimstad saved his mates from a shutout defeat. Rimstad slipped Ainsworth the disc just before hitting the Canadian blue line and the brilliant pivot rounded the defence to beat Munro smartly.

Ted Allard, clever Canadian centre man, was a standout player, while he received great assistance from Eddie Shamlock and Leo Lemieux. The defence line of Robertson, Ward and Myer Flett was always prominent in the Canadian triumph.

The defence was the strongest for E.A.C., while their forward lines proved slightly below their usual standard, some of the boys seeming to lack the necessary fighting spirit.

LINEUP

Edmonton Athletic Club — Evans; Patrick, Heath, Ward; Ainsworth, Fisher, Rimstad; McSporran, Smith, Bonner, Wismer.

Safeway-Canadians — Munro; Ward, Robertson, Flett; L. Lemieux, Allard, Shamlock; Donald, Rennie Lemieux, Batchelor, Haxby.

Referee—Clarence Campbell.

SUMMARY

First period—1. Canadians, Allard (Leo Lemieux) 19:55. Penalties: None.

Second period—2. Canadians, Ward, 19:58. Penalties: None.

Third period—3. E.A.C., Ainsworth, (Rimstad), 14:45. Penalties: Robertson, Heath, Wismer, Donald.

STANDINGS

	W	L	D	Pts
Canadians	2	0	1	5
E.A.C.	1	1	1	3
South Side	0	2	0	0

Hockey — Races —

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE LEADERS

Canadian Section

Section: Toronto, won 12, lost 2, tied 1, points 27.

Points: Jackson, Toronto, 16 goals, 6 assists, 22 points.

Goals: Jackson, Toronto, 16.

Assists: Conacher, Toronto, 10.

Penalties: Horner, Toronto, 45 mins.

Shutouts: Hainsworth, Toronto, 4.

American Section

Section: Chicago, won 9, lost 3, tied 1, points 19.

Points: Weiland, Detroit, 8 goals, 10 assists, 18 points.

Goals: Barry, Boston, 9.

Assists: Weiland, Detroit, 10; Lewis, Detroit, 10.

Penalties: Coulter, Chicago, 30.

Shutouts: Thompson, Bruins; Chabot, Chicago, 4.

WEEK-END N.H.L. STARS

Harvey Jackson, Toronto, won Leafs game against Chicago with the only goal scored.

Bun Cook, Rangers, scored both his team's goals when the New Yorkers beat Maroons 2-1.

Nels Stewart, Boston, got two third-period goals that gave Bruins a 4-3 win from detroit.

HOCKEY'S BIG SEVEN

The tie for last place in the National Hockey league's Big Seven ranking was cut to two today as week-end scoring points were computed. Marty Barry, of Boston, Tommy Cook, Chicago, and Larry Aurie, Detroit, were knocked out of the standing and Herb Lewis, of Detroit, jumped into a last-place tie with Bill Cook, of New York Rangers.

The Standings

Player—	G	A	Pts
Jackson, Toronto	16	6	22
Conacher, Toronto	9	10	19
Weiland, Detroit	8	10	18
Robinson, Montreal	10	3	13
Goodfellow, Detroit	7	8	15
W. Cook, Rangers	6	8	14
Lewis, Detroit	4	10	14

Tommy Gorman, former manager of Chicago Black Hawks, is credited with the statement that Doc Romnes, Hawk centre, though a small player as players go, is one of the biggest eaters in hockey.

Merry Christmas!
Happy New Year!

Another year has rolled by since the Sports Department of the Edmonton Bulletin last had the opportunity to greet readers of these pages with the age-old but ever-new salutation: "Merry Christmas!—Happy New Year!" This is an opportunity we always enjoy and we hope that this year the festive season finds everyone full of the spirit of Christmas and looking forward to a most enjoyable and prosperous 1935. This is the season when all are supposed to be filled with contentment and the joy of living and it's our sincere wish that this is the case with all who read this message. So once again we repeat:

Merry Christmas!
Happy New Year!

Local All-Stars To Play Wesleys Here on Tuesday

Choose Sturdy Sextet To Battle Saskatchewan Junior Champs

Edmonton's hockey program for Christmas Day assures a major attraction for the lovers of the winter pastime, when a local all-star junior team, chosen and coached by Dan Carrigan, clashes with Saskatoon Wesleys, Saskatchewan champions, at the Arena tomorrow.

The local starry brigade will be decked out in Edmonton Athletic Club colors of black and white and, in the smart-looking outfits, there will be a lot of starry hockey ivory to meet the champions from the sister province.

PICK 'EM CAREFULLY

Carefully chosen, the team to represent Edmonton is considered by many as one of the best that could possibly be picked in the league. From the three teams comprising the league, E.A.C., Safeway-Canadians and South Side Athletics, six were chosen from the E.A.C. squad, two from Safeway-Canadians and two from South Side.

It will be a real test for the local team and it will also give the large local fraternity a chance to judge whether or not Edmonton junior teams have a chance of "going places" in this season's campaign.

These major attractions over the holidays have always proven successful. The brand of hockey has always been good and, with a large crowd, the boys will be anxious to "turn it on" when they drop over the boards Christmas Day.

THEY LIKE JUNIORS

To date the junior league has had great success. The pew-holders have always left the spacious ice-palace well satisfied with the performances they have seen.

Carrigan's choice for guarding the nets was young Bobby Evans, who so cleverly battles between the E.A.C. uprights. Evans will have a pair of sturdy defence lines ahead of him in Harry Robertson and Ted Heath and "Chubby" Patrick and Eric Ward. Robertson and Ward are the two mainstays in Safeway-Canadians' sturdy defence, while Heath and Patrick play for E.A.C.

FORWARDS GOOD

Forwards will be the first string line of stars on the E.A.C. team, Jack Ainsworth at centre, flanked by Joe Fisher and Phats Rimstad, while the second line will be made up of Jerry Brown, Alex McSporran, Billy Smith, and Danny McLeod.

Clarence Campbell will referee the game and the starting time is scheduled for 3 o'clock.

The ticket sale is open at Mike's.

Loop Leaders Win

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—St. Paul, co-leaders with Minneapolis of the Central Hockey League, defeated a strong Eveleth club, 3 to 0, in a rough, bitterly fought tussle here last night.

NIGHT CRY PAYS $1,146 FOR $2.00

PANAMA, Dec. 24. — The American horse, Night Cry, won a race at the Juan Franco track Sunday and paid its backers at the rate of $1,146 for $2 to win. It was the highest-priced long-shot that ever came home a winner at this track.

LACOMBE WINS FROM BASHAW

LACOMBE, Alta., Dec. 24.—Bashaw were shown an example of the way a visiting team should be treated by the home referee when they lost to Lacombe here Saturday night 4-1 in a Big Five league game. The visitors outshot the home boys in the first period but Haney kept the fort clear and he showed some very clever work throughout the game.

Brooks scored from Penman on a nice passing play right through the defence midway in the period. Pears drove in a hot one on a pass out from Whitecotton in the second period for their only goal.

Visitors worked hard in the final frame but Haney wouldn't yield even when right in on top of him. Brooks banged in a rebound to put Lacombe one up. Penman and Brooks broke away as Bashaw pressed, the former drawing Wade out and making no mistake. A little later the same thing happened, Penman taking Brooks' pass close in. Brooks broke through and scored just as Bell rang but the play was offside. Penalties, Nugent, Hoppus, Todd, all minor.

LINEUPS

Bashaw—Wade, Nichol, Nugent, Rault, Loughlean, McDonnell, Wells, Sproule, Whitecotton, Pears.

Lacombe — Haney, E. Calkins, Hoppus, Penman, McCaugherty, Brooks, Wilson, Todd, Frizzell.

Referee—McCaugherty, Lacombe.

ARROWS SCORE WIN OVER REDS

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—Philadelphia Arrows scored a convincing 4-1 victory over Providence Reds in a Canadian-American Hockey League game here Saturday night.

Providence came through with its lone tally in the second frame, when Art Lesieur scored.

Gus Forslund, Freeman, Jack and Fred Hergert scored for Philadelphia.

KANSAS CITY GOLFER WINS COAST MEET

Harold McSpaden Winner Of Pasadena Open Tournament

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 24.—Despite a shaky finish, Harold McSpaden, sturdy professional of Kansas City, Kansas, Sunday won the Pasadena open golf tournament with its first prize of $1,000, shooting 70-67-71-73—281.

Tied for second place were Ted Longworth, Portland, Ore., and Dick Metz, youthful Chicago professional, with 286 totals, five strokes back of the 26-year-old Kansan. They shared $1,000.

Representing Canada, Lex Robson of Toronto, shot beautifully steady golf for three rounds, then blew slightly. His total of 296 was made up of rounds of 73, 72, 73, 78.

John Revolta of Milwaukee, staggered home with a 76, his second of the day, and dropped far behind. Charles Guest, the other pro within striking distance, who pulled himself up into a tie for the lead with a sensational 66 Saturday, finished with 76 and a 77 Sunday for 290 strokes.

Osborne Defends Crown In North

FAIRVIEW, Dec. 24.—Kid Osborne, former Fairview boy, successfully defended his title as middleweight champion of western Canada by defeating Jim Cameron in a ten-round bout.

Cameron was game and, although down for a count in the fourth round, tried hard until the final bell but was outclassed and outpunched every round.

The decision was popular with the crowd and the bout was keenly enjoyed by the fans.

In the semi-final, Ferguson lost on a foul to Rimmer after boxing three rounds. Glover, of Whitelaw, went Max Baer style by engaging Pinto Kid of Berwyn and Walsmith, of Bluesky. He drew with Walsmith and kayoed Pinto Kid.

E. McAdams, promoter and popular hotelman, put on a good card.

Fog Brings Halt To Race Sunday

INGLEWOOD, Calif., Dec. 24.—Flagged down with five miles to go as a heavy bank of fog rolled across the track, Kelley Petillo of Los Angeles was adjudged winner of the 200-mile dirt track automobile race at Mines Field Sunday.

His time was two hours, 24 minutes, an average of 77.97 miles an hour. One lap behind, and unofficially in second place, was Wilbur Shaw of Detroit.

Leafs Play As Well On Road As at Home

An odd feature of Toronto Maple Leafs' great rush in the early stages of the National Hockey League race was that they played just as well on the road as at home. At the end of twelve games, Leafs had won five on the road, five at home, the former being away above the average expected even from winning clubs, who are generally rated good if they get a .500 percentage on foreign ice.

Cleveland Sextet Beats Syracuse, 5-1

CLEVELAND, Dec. 24—Cleveland Falcons unleashed a powerful attack to defeat Syracuse Stars 5-1 in a spirited International League hockey game here Saturday night.

Frank Daley and Sparky Vail scored in the first period for the Falcons and Jack Markle got one for the Stars.

Neither team scored in the final stanza.

Ross Thinks He Can Whip Jimmy Again

BARNEY ROSS

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 24.—Barney Ross, lightweight boxing champion, observed his 25th birthday Sunday and said his present ambition was to beat Jimmy McLarnin, Vancouver's welterweight champion of the world, in a return match.

"I sincerely believe I will win our next scrap," he added.

Barney took McLarnin's welterweight title in a close fight in New York. In a second meeting, McLarnin won back his crown.

George Patterson Let Out By Eagles

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—George Patterson, right-wing and centre, who came to St. Louis Eagles National League Hockey Team on option recently, was sent back to Detroit Red Wings Sunday. The Eagles' manager, George Boucher, made the announcement.

ESK HOCKEY TEAM SIGNS NEW PLAYER

Steve Nicharz Will Join Eskimos In Calgary Christmas Day

Led by their new manager, Art Gagne, the Eskimos came back to the city last night after a trip around the Coast end of the Northwestern Hockey League's wheel.

While the road jaunt was anything but a success, Gagne reported his squad was in good shape and that he was expecting much better results from now on.

His greatest concern was the securing of new material to bolster the club for the remainder of the season and to give the city a real contender in the pro circuit.

After a lengthy conference with his manager, Henry Roche, the new owner of the Esks, announced they had been successful in securing Steve Nicharz, a forward, who makes his home in Winnipeg. He was with Detroit Olympics and London Tecumsehs of the International League but got his release from the Tecs when Leroy Goldsworthy was loaned to that team by Chicago Blackhawks a couple of weeks ago.

Nicharz will report to Gagne tomorrow in Calgary, where the Igloomen are scheduled for a Christmas encounter.

Further efforts are being made to get more players and the new heads of the club hope to have some here before long.

CURLING

TUESDAY, DEC. 25

Inter-club games for Christmas Day will be played at various rinks throughout the city.

Those competing are as follows: At Scona, F. W. Kemp; to Granite, W. Winteringham, J. Fitzgerald; to Edmonton, J. R. Mann and Doctor Anderson; to Thistle, E. Warham; to Alberta Avenue, T. Darkes and W. G. Walford; at Royal, C. Reid, J. M. McAfee, W. Freeman, J. O'Callaghan, F. M. Gerrie, W. McAfee, D. Sissons, R. T. Dykes; and to North Edmonton, Nels Strickland.

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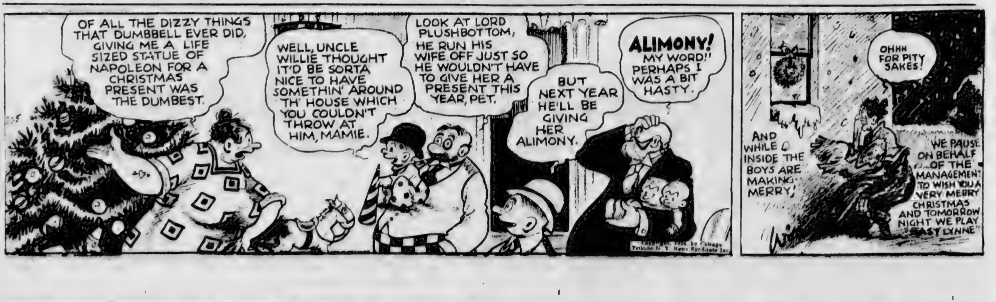
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LES CANADIENS COP TWO STRAIGHT OVER WEEKEND

Win Over Chicago Blackhawks by 4-1 To Move Up Ladder

Leroy Goldsworthy Gives Montreal Frenchmen Lead Early in First Period—Big Crowds See Week-end Tilts

CHICAGO, Dec. 24—Canadiens of Montreal wound up a glorious week-end Sunday night by bouncing past New York Americans into third place in the National Hockey League's Canadian division. They defeated Chicago Black Hawks 4-1 in a wild, rough battle before 12,000 spectators at the Stadium. They beat St. Louis Saturday, 2-1.

Jack McGill was the game's hero with two goals.

Leroy Goldsworthy, of Edmonton, secured by Canadiens last week from London of the International League, notched the first goal early in the opening period.

McGill and Aurel Joliat beat Lorne Chabot in the second on nice plays and after Johnny Gottselig had punched home the only Chicago goal, McGill connected again in the third on a solo rush.

LINEUPS

Canadiens: Cude; Jenkins, Carson; Lepine, Larochelle, Joliat Subs: S. Mantha, G. Mantha, Savage, Riley, Raymond, McGill, Goldsworthy.

Chicago: Chabot; Coulter, Burke; Romnes, Couture, Thompson. Subs: Wiebe, Morenz, March, Locking, Kendall, Cook, Gottselig, Trudel, McFadyen.

Officials: A. G. Smith and G. N. Goodman.

SUMMARY

First Period: 1—Canadiens, Goldsworthy (Riley), 3:06. Penalties: Jenkins, McFadyen.

Second Period: 2—Canadiens, McGill (Larochelle-S. Mantha), 8:30; 3—Canadiens, Joliat (Larochelle), 13:30. Penalties: Lepine, Wiebe, Savage, Locking.

Third Period: 4—Chicago, Gottselig (Morenz-March-Thompson), 5:50; 5—Canadiens, McGill, 9:50. Penalties: G. Mantha, Burke, Locking (major), McGill (2).

Shots Stopped—

Cude	7	13	7—27
Chabot	6	7	9—22

CANUCKS BEAT CELLAR MATES

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 24.—Goals by Pete Lepine and Jack McGill and a sturdy defence carried Montreal Canadiens to their fourth victory of the season here Saturday night when they defeated St. Louis Eagles 2-1 in a National Hockey league match.

The visitors grabbed an early lead on Lepine's goal, lost it in the third period when Glen Brydson tallied and went ahead again in the eighth minute of the period. McGill scored on a double pass from Broadway Jenkins, former Chicagoan, and Wildor Larochelle. McGill had an easy flip, Bill Beverage, Eagle goalie, being drawn far out of his cage on the play.

LINEUP

Canadiens: Cude; Carson, Jenkins; Lepine; Joliat, Larochelle. Subs: G. Mantha, Savage, Riley, Raymond, McGill, Mondou, Goldsworthy, S. Mantha.

St. Louis: Beveridge; Bowman, Frew; Lamb; **Shannon, Finnigan.** Subs: Wilcox, Ayers, Voss, Brydson, Howe, E. Roche, Wasnie, Ripley, Paterson.

Officials: O. Cameron and G. V. Goodman.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Canadiens, Lepine (Larochelle) 1:45. Penalties: Ayers, Patterson, Jenkins.

Second period—No score. Penalty: Ayers (Major).

Third period—2, St. Louis, Brydson (Howe-Voss) 4:07; 3, Canadiens, McGill (Jenkins-Larochelle) 8:30. Penalty: Joliat.

BUN COOK, KERR, RANGER STARS

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Deadly sniping of Bun Cook and the sensational goal tending of Davie Kerr earned New York Rangers a 2-1 victory over Montreal Maroons in a National Hockey league game here Saturday night.

The veteran front line combination of Bill Cook, Bun Cook and Frank Boucher accounted for both the Ranger goals on typical plays of this trio. Frank Boucher started both plays, sweeping smoothly over the blue line and relaying the puck smartly to Bill Cook. Bun Cook in each case got a perfect pass from his brother from close in. Bun snapped in his two goals with well placed shots, one of them knifing through the narrow space between Alex Connell's elbow and the goal post.

LINEUP

Rangers: Kerr: Seibert, Johnson; Boucher; W. Cook, F. Cook. Subs: Heller, Levinsky, Somers, Keeling, Murdoch, Connolly, Patrick, Mason.

Maroons: Connell; Conacher, Shields; Blinco; Robinson, Trottier. Subs: Evans, Wentworth, Smith, Ward, Northcott, Cain, Marker, Gainor.

Referees: Mike Rodden, Toronto; Duke McCurry, Toronto.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Rangers, F. Cook (W. Cook-Boucher) 14:58. Penalties: None.

Second period—2, Rangers, F. Cook (W. Cook-Boucher) 10:12. Penalty: Seibert.

Third period—3, Maroons, Robinson (Conacher-Blinco) 6:29. Penalty: Johnson.

SHOTS STOPPED

Kerr	11	11	15—37
Connell	3	8	5—16

DETROIT RALLY BEATS AMERKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Detroit Red Wings came from behind with an unstoppable rush Sunday night and defeated New York Americans 2-1 in a National Hockey League contest played before 12,000 fans.

For the greater part of two periods the Wings were on the short end of the argument but once Lorne Carr had broken the scoring ice for the A's they cut loose.

With big Ebbie Goodfellow showing the way, they scored the tying goal early in the third period. Near the finish they broke through for the winning counter, when Lorne Duguid fired a long one from outside the New York defence and Tommy Anderson deflected the puck into an unguarded corner of the cage.

LINEUPS

Americans: Worters; Dutton, Murray; Himes, Oliver, Emms. Subs: Klein, Conn, Burke, Chapman, Carr, Schriner, Bridge, A. Smith, McVeigh.

Detroit: N. Smith; Goodfellow, Young; Weiland, Aurie, Lewis. Subs: Boyd, Wiseman, Duguid, Sorrell, Anderson, Gross, Graham, Buswell.

Officials: Bill Stewart and Billy Bell.

SUMMARY

First Period: No score. Penalties: Lewis, Carr, Gross.

Second Period: 1—Americans, Carr (Schriner-Chapman), 11:45. Penalties: None.

Third Period: 2—Detroit, Buswell (Goodfellow-Wiseman), 2:23; 3—Detroit, Anderson (Duguid), 17:05. Penalties: None.

BRUINS RALLY TO WIN 4-3

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—Big Nels Stewart, who gets his goals in pairs, pulled Boston Bruins into a 4-3 victory over Detroit Red Wings with a sensational closing rally before a crowd of 7,500 at the Boston Garden Saturday night.

The red-shirted forces, thanks to the sharp-shooting of Larry Aurie and Cooney Weiland in the first and second periods, appeared to have the game under control until the last seven minutes of play when the Bruins tied the score. A shot fired by Marty Barry deflected off Doug Young's stick into the Detroit cage.

The Bruins then forced matters by throwing five men into the attack. Herb Lewis broke away to the Boston zone, where he fed Weiland a second scoring shot.

Trailing 3-2 with less than three minutes to play, Stewart, "Red" Beattie and Charlie Sands cut loose in wild abandon and forced over two goals in 69 seconds flat to turn back Jack Adams' players for the third consecutive time this season.

LINEUPS

Boston: Thompson; Seibert, Shore; Kaminsky, Barry, Clapper. Subs: Stewart, Beattie, Shill, Portland, Williams, O'Neil, Gagnon, Jerwa, Sands.

Detroit: Smith; Young, Goodfellow; Weiland, Lewis, Aurie. Subs: Sorrell, Gross, Wiseman, Graham, Buswell, Boyd, Duguid, Anderson.

Officials: Stewart and Bell.

SUMMARY

First Period: 1—Detroit, Aurie (Weiland), 14:14. Penalties: None.

Second Period: 2—Detroit, Weiland (Lewis), 2:15; 3—Boston, Kaminsky (Siebert), 2:45. Penalties: Stewart, Graham.

Third Period: 4—Boston, Barry, 13:12; 5—Detroit, Weiland (Lewis), 17:05; 6—Boston, Stewart (Beattie), 17:34; 7—Boston, Stewart (Beattie), 18:43. Penalties: None.

Stops: Thompson 23, Smith 25.

FOURTH SHUTOUT OF SEASON

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—The fourth shutout of the season was in the records today for George Hainsworth as Toronto Maple Leafs stretched their lead in the National Hockey League's Canadian section to 12 points with a 1-0 victory over Chicago Black Hawks Saturday that made a howling success of "Young Canada Night" at Maple Leaf Gardens.

Before the game started a simple, impressive memorial tribute was paid Charlie Gardiner, Hawk's great netminder who died last spring. In the darkened arena two minutes silence was observed while a picture of the curly-haired goalkeeper in characteristic pose was flashed on a screen behind the goal. A bugler sounded the "Last Post" from one end of the Gardens and after a pause another bugler at the other end sounded "Reveille."

LINEUPS

Toronto: Hainsworth; Day, Hollett; Metz, Boll, Kilrea. Subs: Horner, Clancy, Blair, Cotton, Conacher, Primeau, H. Jackson, Kelly, A. Jackson.

Chicago: Chabot; Coulter, Burke; Morenz, Gottselig, March. Subs: Wiebe, Thompson, Couture, Kendall, Cook, Romnes, McFadyen, Trudel.

Officials: A. G. Smith and Dinny Dinsmore.

SUMMARY

First Period: No score. Penalties: Cook (2), Day, March, Cotton, Jackson, Kendall.

Second Period: No score. Penalties: Day, Thompson, Primeau, March, Jackson, Trudel, Conacher.

Third Period: 1—Toronto, Jackson (Kilrea), 18:19. Penalties: Coulter, Jackson, Romnes, Burke, Metz, Kendall.

Stops: Hainsworth 27; Chabot 29.

RANGERS KEEP HOLD ON SLIM SOCCER LEAD

Race Is Now Tighter Than Ever — Two Points Separate Clubs

GLASGOW, Scotland, Dec. 27.—Rangers last night clung to a slim lead at the top of the Scottish Football League's First Division as the race became tighter than it has been for years. Only two points separated the first six clubs in the league's standing and only goal averages stood between the first three.

All six of the top teams won their games Saturday. Rangers smashed the lowly Dunfermline 8-1. Hearts downed Falkirk 4-1, Hamilton Academicals took Hibernians 2-1, Celtic came through with a 3-2 victory over Kilmarnock, St. Johnstone was on the long end of a 4-0 score with St. Mirren and Aberdeen downed Partick Thistles 3-0.

Dundee continued its steady playing and downed Albion Rovers 2-1 at Coatridge. Coats scored both Dundee's goals in a victory that was narrow but earned. Bruce got Rovers' goal from a penalty shot.

TAKE 5-1 WIN

Johnstone's three goals and Carroll's two gave Clyde a comfortable 5-1 win over Ayr United for whom Fitzgerald scored a single. Hamilton Academicals, playing at home, had keen competition from Hibernians, who played sound football. The homesters, however, had the edge and held the lead they got from Wilson's and King's goals. Black scored for the visitors.

Hearts had their easiest game for several weeks against Falkirk. They were prevented from scoring more goals only by the fine performance of Tom Hamilton in Falkirk's net.

Queen's Park scored a 4-2 victory over Airdrieonians when Dodds got two goals and Bremner and Martin one each. Hooney and Hogg scored for the losers.

After scoring in the first minute Queen of the South went down to a 3-2 defeat before Motherwell. Ellis MacFadyen and Ferrier got Motherwell's goals and Tulip and McCrea those of Queen of the South.

Stewart scored two of St. Johnstone's goals against St. Mirren and Campbell and Stewart got the others. St. Mirren did not score.

'Peg Monarchs Win Over Wiesbaden 3-1

WIESBADEN, Germany, Dec. 24.—Winnipeg Monarchs maintained their customary winning stride yesterday against Wiesbaden Ice Hockey club, defeating the home team 3-1. Cam Shewan scored twice for the touring Monarchs and Archie Creighton once.

Monarchs Capture Second Triumph

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—Playing their second hockey game within a few hours, Winnipeg Monarchs defeated Rastenburgers here last night 7-1, before a crowd estimated at 8,000.

Monarchs also won at Wiesbaden earlier yesterday, defeating Wiesbaden Ice Hockey club 3-1.

OUELLETTE STAR OF LONDON WIN

DETROIT, Dec. 24.—Eddie Ouellette's two goals, one of them the first penalty shot scored here, last night gave the league-leading London Tecumsehs a 2-1 overtime victory over Detroit Olympics in a fast, rough International Hockey League match.

Detroit scored within two minutes of the opening period when Wilf Starr of Winnipeg caught the London defence napping.

Kerr Gets Hurt While Spectator

Dave Kerr, the new goaler for New York Rangers in the N.H.L. recently found the role of the spectator just as tough as playing the nets in the major league.

While watching amateur games at Montreal Kerr was stuck on the nose by a flying puck. His nose has already been broken by a bash from a puck in a game.

Gracie Leaves American Squad

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24.—Bob Gracie, wing player of New York Americans of the National Hockey league and formerly with Toronto Maple Leafs, last night joined New Haven Eagles of the Canadian-American league. Manager Frank Carroll said Gracie had been obtained from the Amerks on loan.

Carr Retires

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Arthur Carr, one of the staunchest supporters of Harold Larwood's leg theory in bowling, has been relieved of the captaincy of Nottinghamshire Cricket club, it was revealed here. He is believed to have expressed a desire to retire.

Paris Wins Over Wembley Canucks

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Paris flyers qualified for the semi-finals of the European ice hockey championships by defeating Wembley Canadians 2-1 in a hard-fought game here Saturday night.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24—In a wild-scoring game, the St. Louis Plyers of the American Association trounced the Minneapolis Millers of the Central Hockey League, 6-2 last night before a crowd of 4,700.

Young Stars With Maroons

Two of the younger stars that are helping Montreal Maroons in their great National Hockey League drive this year are pictured here. On the left is Herbie Cain, and on the right is Gus Marker, Camrose boy who made his debut in local senior amateur ranks with the Elks some years ago.

GEO. BOUCHER GREAT PLAYER WITH OTTAWA

Battler of Old School And One of Four Big-Time Stars

One of the "old school" takes up the reins now at St. Louis, as George "Buck" Boucher replaces Eddie Gerard resigned manager of the St. Louis Eagles.

Boucher and Gerard were teammates in football, considered one of the greatest back-field pairs Ottawa ever boasted, and again in hockey. In front of Clint Benedict, they paired on the defence on Ottawa teams which won the Stanley cup in the years of 1920 and 1921, and again in 1923. The Ottawa team of 1921 made hockey history, being the first to win an inter-league series, against the Pacific coast champions on foreign ice, crossing the continent to take three games out of five, and repeating this performance in even more decisive fashion in 1923, taking three out of four from Vancouver, on Vancouver ice, and two from Edmonton, the Western league champions, in Edmonton. Later he teamed with "King" Clancy, now of Toronto.

WAS GREAT STAR

Boucher as a player was rugged, aggressive to a degree, hard-hitting, one of the greatest stick-handlers of all time, and a born fighter.

He came from an athletic family. His father, Tom Boucher, was one of the great rugby stars of two generations ago, with Ottawa College, and at one time, there were four of his sons playing in major league hockey. Frank, now the centre star of the great Ranger Cook-Boucher-Cook line was at that time one of the aces of the Pacific Coast league. Billy, an aggressive right-winger, was playing for Canadiens, and another brother, Bobby was a Canadien substitute when that team won the world's title in 1924. Brothers George and Billy opposed each other when Canadiens and Ottawa played off for the National league title in 1923 and 1924 and fought out the issue tenaciously. This family furnished the only occasion on record in which four brothers played for major league hockey at the same time.

STARRED WITH OTTAWA

Boucher played the greater part of his hockey career with Ottawa where he made his playing debut in 1917 as a forward, but joined Montreal Maroons in 1928-29 in a straight trade for forward Joe Lamb. After breaking a leg with Maroons, it was thought that Boucher's hockey days were done and he himself was planning to become a referee. In fact, just as he was consulting President Calder on that possibility, along came Chicago Black Hawks, seeking the services of a seasoned defence player. So Boucher poined the Hawks, played a season with them, went to Boston the next year and got his first managerial experience as manager of the Bruin Cubs, then back to Ottawa where last season he managed the Senators in the National league. St. Louis is therefore the third managerial berth of this great former player.

Boucher is a fighter, and will bring aggressiveness and driving qualities to the St. Louis Eagles.

The pollen of cattails is used in the manufacture of a new type of pancake flour, which makes pancakes that taste like corn fritters.

Amateur Hockey Officials Flay Big Companies

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Charging amateur ice hockey in the United States is being commercialized and professionalized by "companies owning and operating buildings" where the game is played, a joint meeting of the Amateur Skating Union of the United States, and the American Olympic speed skating committee, yesterday approved a resolution asking the Amateur Union to put control of the sport under the direction of the skating group.

BROTHER OF DEDE KLEIN FOR BRUINS

Saskatoon Amateur Puck Star Gets Tryout At Boston

SASKATOON, Dec. 24.—Yet another member of the Klein family of this city will try to make a name for himself in National Hockey League circles. Brother of Lloyd "Dede" Klein of New York Americans, Richard "Toads" Klein has accepted an invitation for a tryout from Boston Bruins of the major hockey circuit. At present with Prince Albert Mintos of the Northern Saskatchewan Senior Hockey League, the younger member of the Klein clan will seek the permission of the C.A.H.A. in order to try for a berth with Frank Patrick's club.

A high-scoring forward, the elongated centre-man will be the third member of the Mintos called by the Bruin management. Alex Motter and Phil Besler, former teammates of Klein's are now members of the Bruin Cubs in the Canadian-American League.

'Perfect Couple's' College-And-Movie Romance Goes Pft!

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—The romance of the "perfect couple" has gone pftt!

Mrs. Winifred Flint Berry today filed suit for divorce from Gilbert Irwin (Gill) Berry, one-time football star at the University of Illinois, charging desertion.

Berry was designated the most handsome man in a contest at the university and his wife also was a beauty contest winner. As a consequence, both obtained work in the movies at Hollywood.

The romance started on the Illinois campus and culminated in marriage at Wheaton, Feb. 6, 1932. Mrs. Berry claimed her husband deserted her Nov. 15, 1933.

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS
We sincerely express our best wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.
THE BOY'S SHOP
"STOP AT THE CLOCK"
10136 JASPER AVENUE

DOMINION SIX MEETS SOOPS WEDNESDAY

Seek Fifth Straight Win In Senior League Race At Arena Rink

Walter Hunter's Dominions will be out to stop the triumphant Superiors on Wednesday at the Arena and thereby break the Soops' win streak at four straight in as many starts. The game will start at 8:30 o'clock.

Wednesday's senior game takes the place of the usual Wednesday Junior League contest. Several junior players will be playing on Tuesday in an exhibition game against Saskatoon Wesleys and to play on Wednesday was practically impossible so the seniors will play Wednesday instead of Thursday.

Dominions, with only one triumph and that over Alan Wilson's Varsity squad, will be seeking a victory to lessen the gap between them.

One of the big stars in the Dominions' campaign is the performance of "Big Fred" Layetzke in the Dominions' goal and with some support from his mates, the big goalie of last year's E.A.C.'s may have a second triumph to his credit.

The bitterness between the two clubs has long been known.

It will be a determined squad of Superiors that will drop over the boards. They have hit a fast pace in their last few games, trouncing Varsity 7-0 and they have every hope of running their win streak to five straight.

Clarence Campbell will be the referee.

Medal Awarded Plucky Native

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Gallantry which might have cost him his life resulted in an award to Edward Omara, native of Uganda, of the medal of the civil division of the Order of the British Empire. Notice of the award is published in the London Gazette.

A game scout, anxious to punish a herd of marauding elephants, had wounded two bulls when one charged him and pinned him to the ground. Omara pulled out the scout's rifle from between the elephant's legs, but was unable to reload it.

Then Omara attacked the elephant with his spear, drove it off and killed it. After that Omara carried the wounded scout a three hours' journey to Adilang, but the latter died.

Experimenters in England have succeeded in producing wool indefinitely by cutting pieces of live sheepskin and keeping them in vats containing a certain chemical solution.

NEW MANAGERS SUCCESSFUL IN N.H.L. RACE THIS SEASON

American Section Leaders Are Both Piloted By First-year Men

It is something of a coincidence that teams piloted by two managers new to the National League have been fighting a gripping battle for command of the American section of the big hockey loop. Boston Bruins, led by Frank Patrick, have done a real come-back this season, while Chicago Hawks, with the practical Clem Loughlin in charge have overcome the effect of player-losses that, at the start of the season, seemed to be of a crippling nature. Loughlin made his big league debut this season, coming up from the International League, Patrick had previous managerial experience in the Pacific Coast League.

HAWKS STRONG ON DEFENCE

Despite the fact that the Hawks lost the bulwarks of their defence in the late Charley Gardiner, one of the best goal-tenders of all time, Lionel Conacher, veteran defence star, "Taffy" Abel and Roger Jenkins from the rear-guard, they boast the best defensive record in the American Division. In ten games, only 15 goals were scored against the Chicago team which gave the club the best defensive record in the League at that point.

Lionel Conacher, now with Maroons, recently analyzed the status of the Hawks by remarking: "No one knew what a really good team we were last year."

Roger Jenkins, who left Hawks in the trade which sent Morenz, Burke and Chabot to that team, said recently that he never realized how much backchecking was done by the Chicago sextet until he changed clubs.

"The Canadiens play a much more wide open game," he remarked, in comparing teams. "They go out after goals and let the defencemen take charge of handling the brunt of the counter attack. That's a good idea, too, but the Chicago method is much easier on the boys who stand behind the blue line."

Nor can Clem Loughlin, the new manager, be overlooked in the search for reasons for the Hawks' success thus far. A soft spoken, mild mannered veteran of many an exciting hockey war, Loughlin is extremely popular with his players. He knows the game, too, and apparently has the knack of imparting this knowledge to his charges.

Frank Patrick, who has been everything in hockey from a player to a magnate, making his debut in the latter capacity with the National Hockey League, just about re-built that team. "Tiny" Thompson, the brilliant goaler; the great Eddie Shore, Barry, Stewart, Beattie and Clapper are about all that remain of the "Old Guard." Patrick turned to a younger generation for his recruits, bringing in Max Kaminsky, Johnny Gagnon, Jack Shill, Charlie Sands, Jack Portland, Burr Williams, and developing "Peggy" O'Neil. As a result the Bruins have greatly improved their status and since the first of the season have been fighting it out with the Black Hawks for supremacy in their section.

WINDSOR LOSES PAIR PLAYERS

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Two members of Windsor Bulldogs team of the International Hockey League were withdrawn from that club during the week-end by Montreal Maroons of the National League which had lent the players.

Harold Starr, hard-hitting defenceman, was sold to New York Rangers, Manager T. P. Gorman of Maroons announced, while Sammy McManus, speedy wing man, was recalled by Maroons.

Stars Win Game Over Bisons, 3-1

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Dec. 24.—A third-period attack which netted two goals gave Syracuse Stars a 3-1 victory over Buffalo Bisons in an International League Hockey fixture here last night.

Governors Grant Quebec Franchise

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24.—Governors of the Canadian-American Hockey League Sunday adopted the penalty shot rule, recently put into effect by the National League.

A permanent franchise was granted Quebec Beavers Club.

Beavers Beaten

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24.—New Haven Eagles nosed out Quebec Beavers 3-2 in a Canadian-American Hockey League game here last night. Holmes, New Haven spare, bagged the winning tally.

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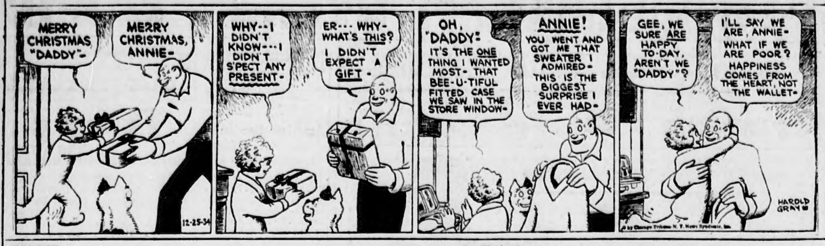
LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

Merry Christmas to You, Too

—By Gray


MERRY CHRISTMAS, "DADDY"-
MERRY CHRISTMAS, ANNIE-
12-25-34
WHY--I DIDN'T KNOW---I DIDN'T S'PECT ANY PRESENT-
ER--- WHY- WHAT'S THIS? I DIDN'T EXPECT A GIFT -
OH, "DADDY"- IT'S THE ONE THING I WANTED MOST- THAT BEE-U-TIFUL FITTED CASE WE SAW IN THE STORE WINDOW-
ANNIE! YOU WENT AND GOT ME THAT SWEATER I ADMIRED- THIS IS THE BIGGEST SURPRISE I EVER HAD-
GEE, WE SURE ARE HAPPY TO-DAY, AREN'T WE "DADDY"?
I'LL SAY WE ARE, ANNIE- WHAT IF WE ARE POOR? HAPPINESS COMES FROM THE HEART, NOT THE WALLET-
HAROLD GRAY
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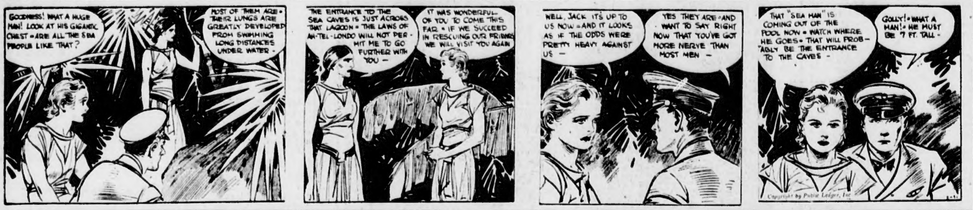
On Their Own

By Godwin


GOODNESS! WHAT A HUGE MAN! LOOK AT HIS GIGANTIC CHEST - ARE ALL THE SEA PEOPLE LIKE THAT?
MOST OF THEM ARE - THEIR LUNGS ARE GREATLY DEVELOPED FROM SWIMMING LONG DISTANCES UNDER WATER -
THE ENTRANCE TO THE SEA CAVES IS JUST ACROSS THAT LAGOON - THE LAWS OF AH-TEL-LONDO WILL NOT PERMIT ME TO GO FURTHER WITH YOU -
IT WAS WONDERFUL OF YOU TO COME THIS FAR - IF WE SUCCEED IN RESCUING OUR FRIENDS WE WILL VISIT YOU AGAIN
WELL, JACK IT'S UP TO US NOW - AND IT LOOKS AS IF THE ODDS WERE PRETTY HEAVY AGAINST US -
YES THEY ARE - AND I WANT TO SAY RIGHT NOW THAT YOU'VE GOT MORE NERVE THAN MOST MEN -
THAT "SEA MAN" IS COMING OUT OF THE POOL NOW - WATCH WHERE HE GOES - THAT WILL PROBABLY BE THE ENTRANCE TO THE CAVES -
GOLLY! - WHAT A MAN! - HE MUST BE 7 FT. TALL -
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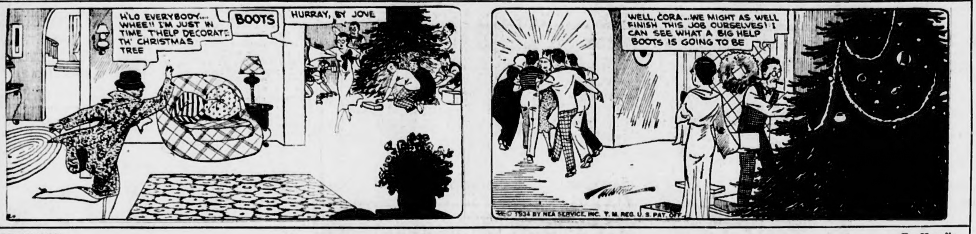
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Help Wanted!

—By Martin


H'LO EVERYBODY.... WHEE!! I'M JUST IN TIME T'HELP DECORATE TH' CHRISTMAS TREE
BOOTS
HURRAY, BY JOVE
WELL, CORA...WE MIGHT AS WELL FINISH THIS JOB OURSELVES! I CAN SEE WHAT A BIG HELP BOOTS IS GOING TO BE
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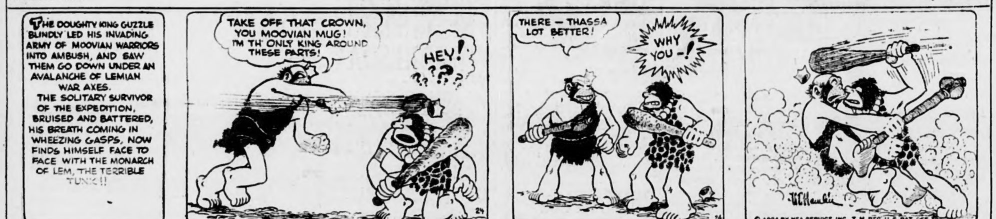
ALLEY OOP

—By Hamlin


THE DOUGHTY KING GUZZLE BLINDLY LED HIS INVADING ARMY OF MOOVIAN WARRIORS INTO AMBUSH, AND SAW THEM GO DOWN UNDER AN AVALANCHE OF LEMIAN WAR AXES. THE SOLITARY SURVIVOR OF THE EXPEDITION, BRUISED AND BATTERED, HIS BREATH COMING IN WHEEZING GASPS, NOW FINDS HIMSELF FACE TO FACE WITH THE MONARCH OF LEM, THE TERRIBLE TUNK!!
TAKE OFF THAT CROWN, YOU MOOVIAN MUG! I'M TH' ONLY KING AROUND THESE PARTS!
HEY! ??
THERE — THASSA LOT BETTER!
WHY YOU -!
V. T. Hamlin
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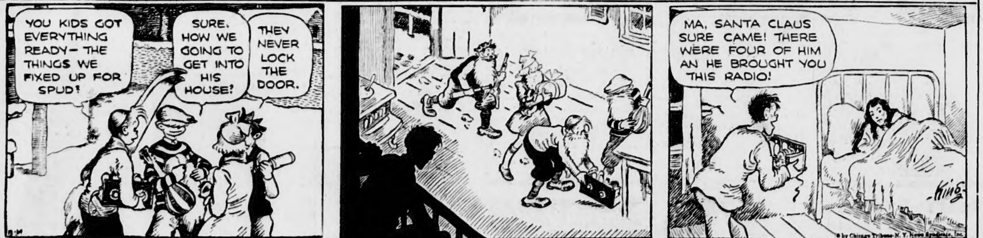
GASOLINE ALLEY

'Twas The Night Before Christmas

—By King


YOU KIDS GOT EVERYTHING READY— THE THINGS WE FIXED UP FOR SPUD!
SURE. HOW WE GOING TO GET INTO HIS HOUSE?
THEY NEVER LOCK THE DOOR.
MA, SANTA CLAUS SURE CAME! THERE WERE FOUR OF HIM AN HE BROUGHT YOU THIS RADIO!
-King
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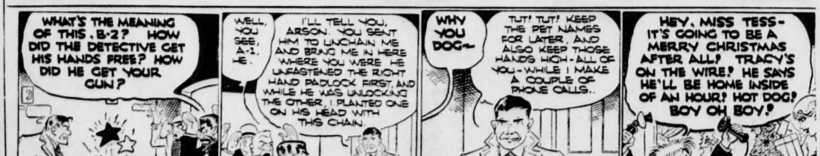
DICK TRACY

News Flash!

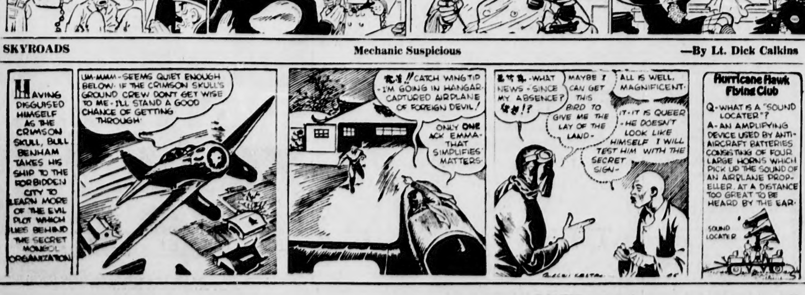
Chester Gould


WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS, B-2? HOW DID THE DETECTIVE GET HIS HANDS FREE? HOW DID HE GET YOUR GUN?
WELL, YOU SEE, A-1, HE.
I'LL TELL YOU, ARSON. YOU SENT HIM TO UNCHAIN ME AND BRING ME IN HERE WHERE YOU WERE. HE UNFASTENED THE RIGHT HAND PADLOCK FIRST, AND WHILE HE WAS UNLOCKING THE OTHER, I PLANTED ONE ON HIS HEAD WITH THIS CHAIN.
WHY YOU DOG—
TUT! TUT! KEEP THE PET NAMES FOR LATER, AND ALSO KEEP THOSE HANDS HIGH - ALL OF YOU - WHILE I MAKE A COUPLE OF PHONE CALLS..
HEY, MISS TESS- IT'S GOING TO BE A MERRY CHRISTMAS AFTER ALL! TRACY'S ON THE WIRE! HE SAYS HE'LL BE HOME INSIDE OF AN HOUR! HOT DOG! BOY OH BOY!

SKYROADS

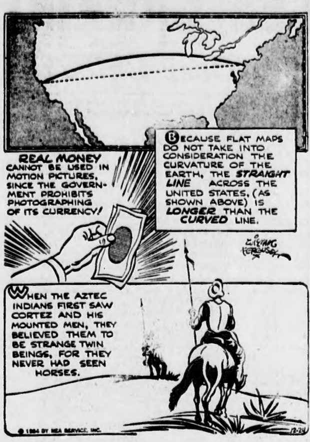
Mechanic Suspicious

—By Lt. Dick Calkins


HAVING DISGUISED HIMSELF AS THE CRIMSON SKULL, BULL BENHAM TAKES HIS SHIP TO THE FORBIDDEN CITY TO LEARN MORE OF THE EVIL PLOT WHICH LIES BEHIND THE SECRET MONGOL ORGANIZATION
UM-MMM - SEEMS QUIET ENOUGH BELOW - IF THE CRIMSON SKULL'S GROUND CREW DON'T GET WISE TO ME - I'LL STAND A GOOD CHANCE OF GETTING THROUGH
!! CATCH WINGTIP - I'M GOING IN HANGAR - CAPTURED AIRPLANE OF FOREIGN DEVIL!
ONLY ONE ACK EMMA - THAT SIMPLIFIES MATTERS
- WHAT NEWS - SINCE MY ABSENCE? !?
MAYBE I CAN GET THIS BIRD TO GIVE ME THE LAY OF THE LAND-
ALL IS WELL, MAGNIFICENT.
IT - IT IS QUEER - HE DOESN'T LOOK LIKE HIMSELF. I WILL TEST HIM WITH THE SECRET SIGN-
Hurricane Hawk Flying Club
Q - WHAT IS A "SOUND LOCATER"?
A - AN AMPLIFYING DEVICE USED BY ANTI-AIRCRAFT BATTERIES CONSISTING OF FOUR LARGE HORNS WHICH PICK UP THE SOUND OF AN AIRPLANE PROPELLER AT A DISTANCE TOO GREAT TO BE HEARD BY THE EAR.
SOUND LOCATER

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson


REAL MONEY CANNOT BE USED IN MOTION PICTURES, SINCE THE GOVERNMENT PROHIBITS PHOTOGRAPHING OF ITS CURRENCY!
BECAUSE FLAT MAPS DO NOT TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THE CURVATURE OF THE EARTH, THE STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS THE UNITED STATES, (AS SHOWN ABOVE) IS LONGER THAN THE CURVED LINE.
WILLIAM FERGUSON
WHEN THE AZTEC INDIANS FIRST SAW CORTEZ AND HIS MOUNTED MEN, THEY BELIEVED THEM TO BE STRANGE TWIN BEINGS, FOR THEY NEVER HAD SEEN HORSES.
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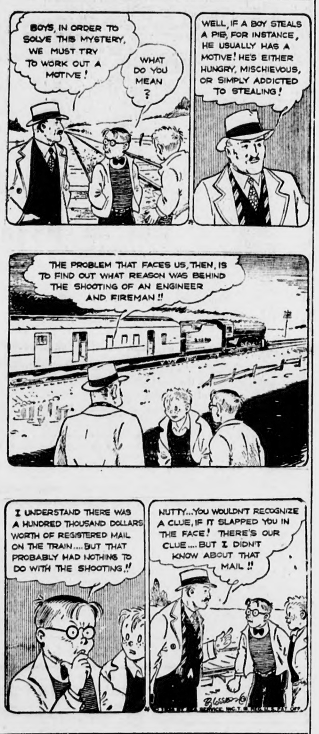
A DEGREE of longitude varies from 69.1 miles at the equator to zero at the poles, but on flat maps all degrees of longitude are represented as of equal length.

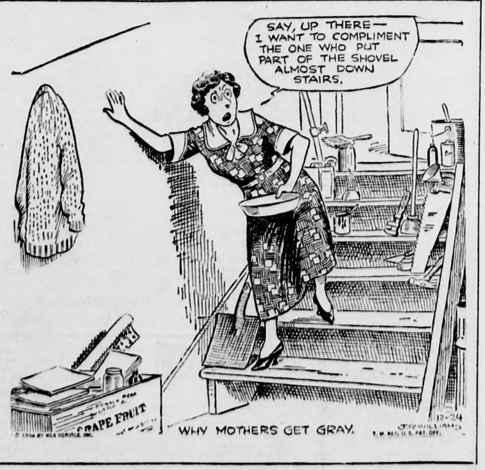
FRECKLES

—By Blosser


BOYS, IN ORDER TO SOLVE THIS MYSTERY, WE MUST TRY TO WORK OUT A MOTIVE!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN ?
WELL, IF A BOY STEALS A PIE, FOR INSTANCE, HE USUALLY HAS A MOTIVE! HE'S EITHER HUNGRY, MISCHIEVOUS, OR SIMPLY ADDICTED TO STEALING!
THE PROBLEM THAT FACES US, THEN, IS TO FIND OUT WHAT REASON WAS BEHIND THE SHOOTING OF AN ENGINEER AND FIREMAN !!
I UNDERSTAND THERE WAS A HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF REGISTERED MAIL ON THE TRAIN....BUT THAT PROBABLY HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE SHOOTING !!
NUTTY...YOU WOULDN'T RECOGNIZE A CLUE, IF IT SLAPPED YOU IN THE FACE! THERE'S OUR CLUE....BUT I DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT THAT MAIL !!
BLOSSER
SERVICE, INC. T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams


SAY, UP THERE— I WANT TO COMPLIMENT THE ONE WHO PUT PART OF THE SHOVEL ALMOST DOWN STAIRS.
GRAPE FRUIT
WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.
J.R. WILLIAMS
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Felt hats! Wooly helmets, and furry ones, too! Angora (bunny wool) crocheted tams. Oh, all sorts of headgear, in this interesting clearaway. Regular 59c to $1.95.
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High count cotton broadcloths . . . plain colors, bright or darker, and good-looking stripes. Kite front or English collared jackets. Sizes in the group, 36 to 44. Regular $2.95 to $3.95. YEAR-END CLEARANCE, HALF PRICE

$1.45 to $1.95

—Men's Nightwear, Main Floor, Phone 9-1-2-5-7

Store Will Be Closed Christmas Day

Fine Underwear in the Clearance Sale

"Featherweight" Vests and Panties

A finer wool knit . . . garments to fit you like your silks. The vests are opera-top style, with dainty straps. Panties cling snugly, with ribbed cuff bands. Bloomers threaded with elastic. Regular $1.25.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE GARMENT, **$1.00**

Girls' Wool Vests

Swiss ribbed wool vests . . . ideal for girls of two to twelve. Round necklines and short sleeves, or the crocheted round neckline — "Dutch" style. These latter ones are in a finer wool ribbing. Creamy colored. Regular 69c.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE GARMENT, **59c**

Little Boys' Combinations

Long sleeved, ankle length style — of a fine wool knit, with cotton interwoven. Durable. Comfy. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. Regular $1.29.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE **$1.00**

—Underwear for Women and Children, Second Floor, Phone 9-1-2-3-2

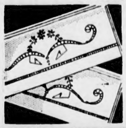
Children's Annuals Half Price

Away go the children's annuals . . . English and Canadian collections of all sorts of stories. In well-bound editions . . . some slightly soiled from counter display, but all in good condition. Regular $1.00 to $3.25. YEAR-END CLEARANCE,

50c to $1.60

—Books, Main Floor, Phone 9-1-2-6-3

Pillow Cases to Embroider



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See Windows

Remnants! Remnants!

Oddments in Linens and Pillow Cases

Clearance of slightly soiled linen, and oddments remaining from these last busy weeks of selling. All are generously reduced in price — at savings that sound a call to early shopping. YEAR-END CLEARANCE,

SHEETS, EACH	**89c to $1.95**
CASES, EACH	**89c to $1.65**
TABLE LINENS	**$2.50 to $4.95**

—Staples, Second Floor, Phone 9-1-2-7-6

Silk Remnants Half Price

All sorts of real silk and satin dress fabrics, in this clearance! And some of the smart celanese crepe and artificial silks are included, too! The lengths are generous—as great as four yards—suitable for blouses, trimmings, lingerie, and even for frocks. Mostly in 36-inch width. YEAR-END CLEARANCE, HALF PRICE, PIECE.

59c to $2.50

—Yard Goods, Second Floor, Phone 9-1-2-7-8

Cretonnes and Casement Cloth

Clearance of 69c and 75c Fabrics

Dress up the windows for the beginning of the New Year! Here's a grand opportunity to save! Casement cloth in tan, green or blue . . . English cretonnes in lovely floral patternings. A few bolts of the cretonne in 30-inch width . . . the majority of the fabrics 50 inches wide.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE YARD, **49c**

—Drapery Fabrics, Second Floor, Annex, Phone 9-1-2-2-5

Many Rugs in Year-End Clearance

Reductions of One-Third . . . Shop Early!

WILTONS—9 by 9 feet, regular $53.00. SALE	$35.00
AXMINSTER—9 by 9 feet, regular $41.00. SALE	$27.25
WILTON—9 by 10½ feet, regular $59.00. SALE	$39.00
WILTON—9 by 10½ feet, regular $67.00. SALE	$44.50
HEAVY WILTON—4½ by 7½ feet, regular $34.00. SALE	$22.00

Reversible Wool Mats

Elgin rugs, eight, regular $5.95. SALE, EACH, $4.00
Elgin mats, ten, regular $12.95. SALE, EACH, $8.50

—Rugs, Third Floor, Annex, Phone 9-1-2-4-1

At 10:30! Fine Shoes for Less!

Clearaway of a broken size grouping in shoes of good quality . . . all sizes included in the lot! Strap slippers . . . pumps . . . ties. Mostly cuban or higher heeled types . . . black or brown leathers. Some narrower fittings included — sizes 3 to 8.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE, AT 10:30, PAIR **$1.75**

—Footwear, Second Floor

Men's Oxfords

Step up promptly — the quantity is limited. Black calfskin leather . . . Goodyear welted leather soles. All sizes in the group. Regular $2.50.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE, PAIR **$1.89**

—Footwear, Main Floor

Walnut Vanity Dressers

Limited Group Clears — Regular $25.00

Vanitys with large mirrors of British plate-glass — graceful in line, and handsome with beautifully matched veneers of walnut. Solid hardwood cores. Three, four and five drawers . . . mirrors swinging or stationary.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE,

$17.95

—ALSO AVAILABLE ON DEFERRED PAYMENT TERMS.
—Furniture, Third Floor, Annex, Phone 9-1-2-4-1

Don't Miss These Downstairs Specials

CURLING BROOMS — Specially made brooms . . . fresh green corn is sewn with five rows of string stitching. Smoothly finished handles.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE **69c**

HOME WAX—Floor wax of a quality that spreads well and gives a lasting gloss. One-pound tins.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE 2 TINS **47c**

GARBAGE CANS — Galvanized metal cans, of standard size. Tight-fitting lids.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE **79c**

SET OF SAUCEPANS — Aluminum of durable make. In three sizes, from 1¼ pints to 1¼ quart capacity.
YEAR-END CLEARANCE, SET OF THREE **69c**

—Hardware, Downstairs, Phone 9-1-2-4-9

Eaton Groceteria

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BUTTER—EATON'S Sun Glo fresh creamery.	2 lb. block	44c
BUTTER—EATON'S Sun Glo fresh creamery.	3 lb. block	65c
PEANUT BUTTER—Squirrel, 32-oz. sealer		29c
SPINACH—Aylmer, choice. No. 2 tall tin		14c
TOILET SOAP—Witch Hazel. Special	6 cakes	25c
PUMPKIN—Aylmer choice. Special, No. 2½ tin		10c

Extra Specials!

MILK—Pacific evaporated. Limit 6 tins. No. 1 tall tin	8c
JAM—Aylmer strawberry with pectin. 4-lb. tin	42c
TOMATO JUICE—Aylmer. 10½-oz. tin	5c

TEA—EATON'S Broken Pekoe. Special, lb. pkt.		38c
COFFEE—EATON'S Santos blend pure. Special, lb. pkt.		25c
MAPLE SYRUP—Camp pure Quebec. Special, 32-oz. tin		42c
PANCAKE FLOUR—Aunt Jemima. Pkt.		15c
CHIPSO—Medium size pkts. Extra Special	4 pkts.	25c
JUMBO CARBOLIC SOAP	6 cakes	25c
DOMOLCO TABLE MOLASSES—Special. No. 3 tin		35c
SHREDDED WHEAT—Breakfast cereal. Pkt.		9c
CORN—Dewkist golden bantam, No. 2 tall tins	2 tins	19c
MARMALADE—Quaker pineapple and apple. 4-lb. tin		43c
OVALTINE—Use hot or cold. 18-oz. tin		$1.09
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, VERMICELLI—Canadian Beauty. 16-oz. pkts.	3 pkts.	25c
CHEESE—Chateau Spready. Special, lb. pkt.		23c
PEARS—Quaker choice Bartlett. No. 2 squat tin		14c
APRICOTS—Hatzic, choice. No. 2 squat tin		14c
GREENGAGE PLUMS—Aylmer, choice, No. 1 tall tins	3 tins	25c
BONELESS CHICKEN—Crosse and Blackwell's. 7-oz. tin		26c
GRAHAM WAFERS—Red Arrow. Lb. cello pkt.		15c
SALMON—Old Mill choice red salmon. ½ size tin		16c

Service Grocery DIAL 9-1-2-4-3

BUTTER—EATON'S Imperial creamery	2 lbs.	48c
TOMATOES—Choice, No. 2½ tins	2 tins	23c
PEAS—Choice, sieve 5, No. 2 tins	2 tins	23c
CORN—Choice, No. 2 tins	2 tins	23c
SOUP—Campbell's tomato	3 tins	25c
FLOUR—All brands, No. 1 patent. 24-lb. bag		77c
FLOUR—49-lb. bag		$1.47
FLOUR—98-lb. bag		$2.85
SODA BISCUITS—Christie's Excell. 2-lb. carton		25c
PEACHES—Lynn Valley, squat tins	2 tins	29c
STRAWBERRIES—Hatzic, squat tins	2 tins	31c
TEA—EATON'S Palawan blend. Lb.		45c
COFFEE—EATON'S Breakfast blend. Lb.		37c
MILK—Carnation evaporated. Tall tin		9c
SOAP FLAKES—Lux. Large pkt.		21c
CLEANSER—Old Dutch	3 tins	27c
SOAP—P. and G. White Naphtha	8 cakes	28c
ROLLED OATS—Quaker, quick, chinaware. Pkt.		27c
BREAKFAST CEREAL—Red River. 2-lb. pkt.		17c

Fruits and Vegetables

JAP ORANGES—Box		89c
SUNKIST NAVEL ORANGES—150's. Dozen		50c
176's. Dozen		45c
216's. Dozen		37c
288's. Special	2 dozen	57c
FANCY LEMONS—300's. Dozen		35c
360's. Dozen		30c
432's. Dozen		23c
FANCY EMPEROR GRAPES	2 lbs.	29c
CAPE COD CRANBERRIES	2 lbs.	53c
BANANAS—Special	2 lbs.	25c
FRESH FROZEN STRAWBERRIES—15-oz. cup		25c
FRESH FROZEN STRAWBERRIES	2 cups	48c
FANCY B.C. CELERY—Washed and trimmed. Special	3 lbs.	18c
CALIFORNIA LETTUCE	2 for	15c
LOCALLY GROWN POTATOES—90-lb. sack		65c
SOUTHERN SWEET POTATOES	3 lbs.	28c

Fancy Pack Apples

McINTOSH RED—Case	$1.95
DELICIOUS—Case	$1.90
WINESAP—Case	$2.15
YELLOW NEWTON—Case	$2.25
HOUSEHOLD PACK APPLES—Eating or cooking. Crate	$1.48

Meats and Fish

A CHOICE SELECTION OF FRESH DRESSED GEESE, TURKEYS, AND CHICKENS!

8:30 Special!

STEAK—Prime steer round, by the slice. Special 3 lbs. 25c
PERSONAL SHOPPING!

10:30 Special!

HALIBUT—Fresh frozen baby, whole or half. Lb. 15c
PERSONAL SHOPPING!

Wednesday Specials — No C.O.D.'s

SAUSAGE—EATON'S beef	4 lbs.	25c
LAMB—Choice rib stewing. Lb.		7c
BEEF—Prime shoulder roast. Lb.		5c
VEAL—Rib chops. Lb.		12c

Prompt Delivery — Dial 9-1-2-5-4

BEEF—Boneless stewing. Special, lb.	7c
FILLETS—Choice smoked. Special, lb.	17c
ASHLAND—Swift's cooked, square sliced. Special, lb.	22c
STEAK—Prime sirloin, by the slice. Special, lb.	14c
PORK—Choice fresh ham, whole or half. Special, lb.	16c
COD—Choice fresh Ling, piece or sliced. Special, lb.	22c

BASEMENT BARGAIN SECTION

NO PHONE ORDERS — NO DELIVERY

Men's Sweaters A Big Bargain!

Bargain indeed! Jumbo knit sweaters — burly coats, and big pullovers with shawl collars. They're in a union knit — wool and cotton yarns. Heather shades — the pullovers with stripes of bright color across the chest. Some of the coats are in the popular black, too. Regular $1.39. 36 to 44.
BASEMENT BARGAIN SECTION **$1.00**

Warm Combinations

Men's undersuits . . . a cotton knit, of a texture and an inner fleecing that assures warmth. Men like this long sleeved, ankle length style . . . and the natural color. Sizes 36 to 44. "Seconds."
BASEMENT BARGAIN SECTION **98c**

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EDMONTON CANADA

LONDON PRESS LOOKING FOR NAVAL AMITY

"Times" Envisions New Opportunity For Practical Accord

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Accord between Britain and the United States on freedom of the seas and on naval matters as well was envisioned in a special article in the Sunday Times yesterday.

Referring to recent reports President Roosevelt is considering a new American policy relative to the rights of neutrals on the high seas during war times, the Sunday Times said there is an opportunity for a practical accord containing two suggested parts: first, no submarine blockade can be effective; second, in the absence of an effective blockade, the highways of the sea shall be free to trade between the United States and Britain..'

The article said a third clause might be added in which "signatories of this understanding agree to make a common cause in the event of injury to present or future signatories, caused by infraction of these principles."

Referring to the naval situation and the Japanese denunciation attitude on the Washington treaty, the Sunday Times says:

"The ratio or mathematical school of disarmament has fallen in disrepute. What we want is to introduce some new principle which would affect the motives of these rivalries and express itself not in terms of power but of some common object of policy. If such principle could be established between us and America we might readily acquiesce in the disappearance of the ratio five and three."

ASKED PRINTS BUT RECEIVED EIGHT FINGERS

BRUGES, Belgium, Dec. 24.—A carefully wrapped parcel containing eight human fingers and two thumbs, neatly packed and labelled, reached a surprised magistrate here Sunday.

It had been sent in response to a request directed to a communal guard at Vlisseghen to send the fingerprints of a person who had committed suicide by drowning.

The guard, unfamiliar with modern identification methods, resorted to amputation for the necessary information. ... .

LAST-MINUTE NAVAL QUERY FROM JAPAN

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The Japanese naval delegation received instructions from Tokyo Sunday to discuss with the British, possibilities for a future compromise on the basis of British suggestions for a new naval limitations treaty.

This move, coming from Japan, definitely determined to denounce the Washington Treaty, was taken as indicating that country is anxious to still seek a satisfactory understanding with Britain and the United States on the involved naval situation.

British official quarters maintained customary silence on the development. Britain suggested weeks ago a compromise plan to the Japanese delegates at the naval talks here, but today's step was the first indication that Tokyo was prepared to discuss the proposition.

Throughout the conversations between delegates from Britain, the United States and Japan the former two held firmly against the Japanese insistence upon naval parity. Britain indicated she was prepared to grant Japan the right to equality in principle, but not actual tonnage equality at present.

Fish Pond Named After Coolidge

NORFOLK, Mass., Dec. 24—The name of Calvin Coolidge will be memoralized here when the new trout preserve of the Massachusetts Fish and Game Association is christened the Calvin Coolidge trout pond.

Rising Sun Glows For Canadian Girl

HELEN TRENHOLME.

Helen Trenholme Given Start in Real "Movie" May Prove Sensation

By L. S. B. SHAPIRO

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Probably the most publicized street corner in the world is that stretch of paper-littered pavement at the point where Broadway, Forty-second St., Seventh Ave. and Times Sq. cut the anatomy of Manhattan Island into mad triangles. The story of "Broadway and Forty-second" has been immortalized in song and dance, on the stage and screen.

It stands for success and failure and glamor and cheapness. It is not surprising, then, that Canada's newest contribution to the Hollywood screen should find that her career has been successfully launched at Broadway and Forty-second.

Near this intersection stands the Rialto theatre, and in the Rialto theatre is being shown a film entitled "The Case of the Howling Dog" and in "The Case of the Howling Dog" we find our Canadian player. Her name, of course, is Helen Trenholme. A year ago Miss Trenholme was a member of the Montreal Repertory theatre.

It is the happy duty of this observer to report that Miss Trenholme is not only an actress but also a screen actress. She acts and she photographs equally effectively.

The producers of the film realized this because they accorded her a heavy part in a first class company which included Warren William, considered one of Hollywood's better actors, and Mary Astor, one of the veterans of the talking screen.

The critics wrote that "Warren William, Mary Astor and Helen Trenholme were excellent," which is a form of high praise for the newcomer.

THE STORY OF A START

The story of how Miss Trenholme got her start is something even a Hollywood script editor would reject as being highly improbable. During last winter Miss Trenholme came to New York to find a place on the dramatic stage. She hadn't given a thought to pictures. Her one remote connection with the theatrical business was through a relative who knew Mitchell Rawson, publicity manager for Warner Brothers of New York.

Miss Trenholme and relative visited Mr. Rawson's office one day to seek advice as to how to get a part in a stage production. During the subsequent discussion, the eastern casting representative for Warners—Mildred Weber by name—walked into the office. Miss Weber observed Miss Trenholme's face intently for a few minutes and then offered her a screen test.

Much to Miss Weber's amazement, the Montrealer reiterated her intention of appearing on the stage and firmly refused to consider a test. Miss Trenholme finally achieved her ambition. She was given a small part in a play called "Strange Orchestra."

It was a lovely play but no one seemed to like it. It opened and closed the same night. The Warner sleuths, however, were on the job. They observed Miss Trenholme on the stage, followed her backstage after the performance, and in the hour of her bitterness they again offered her a screen test.

This time she succumbed. The test was plain sailing. The test was duly received in Hollywood; contracts were hurriedly thrust before Miss Trenholme's nose and before she knew it she was on the Twentieth Century Limited, westbound.

KNOWS WHAT SHE WANTS

The story sounds a bit far-fetched and somewhat different from other versions I have heard, but it came to me the other day from the lips of Mitchell Rawson himself, and Mr. Rawson told his story with gestures. He even pointed out the very spot in his office where Miss Trenholme sat. He was so overcome with enthusiasm that I shouldn't be surprised if a monument or at least a plaque were placed on the spot.

Helen Trenholme is not a screen-struck girl. She knows what she wants out of life and she is sacrificing nothing for her movie career. When she signed the movie contract, she insisted that it stipulate a six-months holiday after her first two pictures. The second film was completed a month ago, and three weeks ago in Montreal Miss Trenholme became Mrs. Denis Smyth, wife of the Washington correspondent of the London Morning Post. Miss Trenholme the actress will be Mrs. Smyth for six months before she resumes her place before the cameras. They are honeymooning in Bermuda.

The Canadian's second film, not yet released, is entitled "Firebird" and features Veree Teasdale as well as Helen Trenholme.

Indian Praises Doctor's Magic

THE PAS, Man., Dec. 24—The wizardry of the pale-face medicine man came to the rescue of Elie Dumas, treaty Indian, of the Cold Lake district, north of here. When he returns to his tribe, the Pukatawagans, he will have a story to tell of an appendix operation postponed for three years.

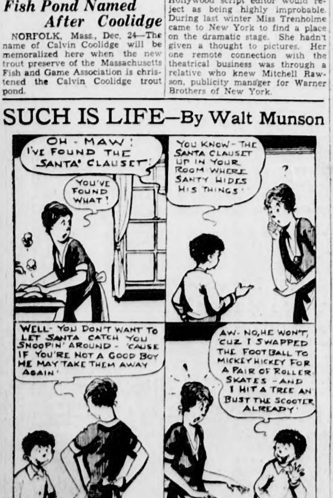
Doctors found a chronic appendix, six inches in length and folded upon itself. In one distal end were found 30 pellets of lead (number 12 bird shot), one moccasin bead and an assortment of 50 other small bits of lead, disintegrated shot.

It was deduced Elie had eaten the shot with game he had killed. From the intestines, the shot had been diverted into the appendix.

Tanker Fire Is Extinguished

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24—The Texas Company's tanker, Australia, reported Sunday a fire in her tanks had been extinguished and she was heading for Los Angeles. She gave her position as 1,730 miles west of San Pedro. The craft was returning to Los Angeles from Darien.

SUCH IS LIFE—By Walt Munson


OH - MAW! I'VE FOUND THE SANTA' CLAUSET!
YOU'VE FOUND WHAT!
YOU KNOW - THE SANTA CLAUSET UP IN YOUR ROOM WHERE SANTY HIDES HIS THINGS'
?
WELL - YOU DON'T WANT TO LET SANTA CATCH YOU SNOOPIN' AROUND - 'CAUSE IF YOU'RE NOT A GOOD BOY HE MAY TAKE THEM AWAY AGAIN'
AW - NO, HE WON'T, 'CUZ I SWAPPED THE FOOTBALL TO MICKEY HICKEY FOR A PAIR OF ROLLER SKATES - AND I HIT A TREE AN' BUST THE SCOOTER ALREADY'
WALT MUNSON

'TWOS A NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

EMPIRE RADIO PROGRAM FULL OF SURPRISES

Isolated Posts, Populous Cities Will Be Heard From Ether

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The Empire Christmas Day broadcast, climaxed as usual by a message from the King, this year will be marked by communication with isolated outposts around the world, as well as with populous cities.

His Majesty's message will come from the royal estate at Sandringham, Norfolk, where the royal family is spending Christmas Day. Before the King's voice sounds around the world, however, contact will be established with points in all parts of the Empire.

CANADA COVERED

Canada's part in the Empire-wide broadcast begins at Ottawa with the ringing of the carillon there and a message from the Dominion capital to London. Later calls will be made to a lumber camp in Northern Quebec, a chalet on Grouse Mountain, which looks down on Vancouver from a 3,000-foot elevation, a hockey game in Toronto, a children's skating party in Winnipeg, and a fisherman in his hut on the Atlantic coast.

BETHLEHEM BELLS

The bells of the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem will be heard to note the true significance of Christmas. A circle of bells girdling the Empire will echo round the globe, pealing in relay bells will be rung in Bombay, India; Wellington, N.Z., Ottawa, Armagh, Northern Ireland, and London itself.

AFRICAN NATIVES

The calls made to various sections of the Empire include one to a native compound in South Africa where 8,000 natives headed by the chief of the Xosa tribe will offer greetings to the King. Communications will be made with a whaler on an island in Tory Channel, New Zealand; to a fisherman in his hut on Canada's eastern seaboard; and to a tea planter in the Blue Mountains of South India. From a fort in the Khyber Pass an Indian officer, who serves with Indian troops, will be heard.

The special broadcast is scheduled to start at 8:55 a.m. (E.S.T.). The King's message is timed for 10 a.m. (E.S.T.).

PONTIFF TO GIVE WORLD HIS MESSAGE

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 24.—Deep sorrow for a world that to him has been eminently sorrowful during the past year, coupled with exalted gratification for a popular capacity to strain toward higher spiritual things, is likely to be expressed by Pope Pius today in his annual Christmas review of the religious affairs of the world.

This review of events is pronounced by the Pope on the afternoon of every Christmas Eve. His audience is by Rote, the Cardinals of the Curia, or that body of churchly princes who reside in Rome.

In it the Pontiff speaks of his "Joys and Sorrows" of the past 12 months.

Despite the happy trend of the season's greetings today, the Pope is expected to expatiate more upon his sorrows than his joys. He has the deaths of three of his best beloved Cardinals to lament. They were Pietro Gasparri, Francis Ehrle, and Guiseppe Mori.

NATIVITY BELLS OF BETHLEHEM TO RING OUT

BETHLEHEM, Palestine, Dec. 24.—While thousands of pilgrims were gathering here from all parts of Palestine to participate in the Armenian, Greek and Franciscan Christmas services that will be held today in the Church of the Nativity, radio engineers were busy perfecting connections that would bring the sound of the deep-toned bells to London and Canada as part of an Empire broadcast.

This ancient town is ringing with the joyousness of brightly-garbed men and women recapturing the spirit of devotion and piety associated with Christ's birth.

Social Leader Comes A Cropper

CHICAGO, Dec. 24—A tumble off a hunter means nothing to Mrs. William M. Mitchell.

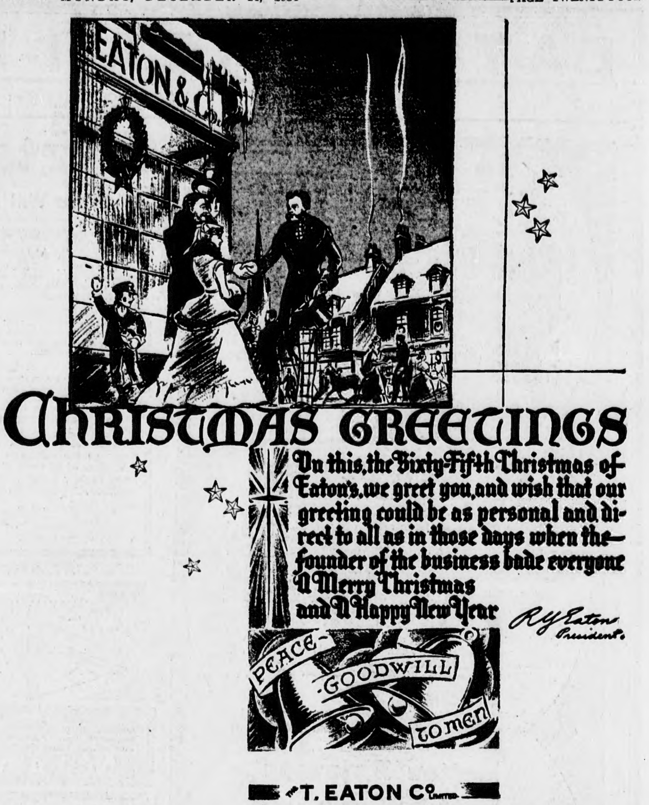
The Lake Forest society leader was putting her horse, Star Bloom, over fences on James Simpson Jr.'s farm near Waukegan when she came a cropper. Star Bloom was qualifying for an elimination hunt trophy and had been taking his jumps in fine style.

Over the last, however, the horse struck the rail and fell. Mrs Mitchell was thrown to the ground and one of Star Bloom's hoofs struck her shoulder. It was feared that her collar-bone had been broken.

It was found that this was not the case and Mrs. Mitchell insisted on proceeding to an engagement at the Milburn Hunt Club, but she dropped riding for the day.

He Missed Shot By Feeling Ill

CANSO, N.S., Dec. 24—If Clyde Roberts had been feeling well the story might have been different. Complaining of illness, he asked Calvin Bennett of Canso to relieve him at the wheel of a big oil truck, and they were driving along the road to Salmon River, when a bullet of mysterious origin struck Bennett in the neck, hit the top of the cab and fell on the floor.



CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

On this, the Sixty-Fifth Christmas of Eaton's, we greet you, and wish that our greeting could be as personal and direct to all as in those days when the founder of the business bade everyone A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

R.Y. Eaton
President.

THE T. EATON CO LIMITED

GENTLE OLD MAN FRIEND OF ALL BIRDS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.—John A. Hueln is Winnipeg's bird man. During the four years he has resided here he has walked approximately 3,800 miles to carry bread crumbs to feathered friends that frequent Notre Dame park in the west end of the city.

Three times a day during the summer months the 71-year-old veteran makes his way to a sheltered corner of the park where his approach is heralded by a whrrr of wings. Residents in the vicinity set their clocks by the passing of the familiar figure.

The distance from his home to the park is roughly half a mile. Two visits daily are made during the cold winter months. Devotion to his winged vagrants started many years ago in Elmira, Ont., where he was born. And as far as his friends know he has never missed a day.

The simple explanation of the old gentleman for his daily ritual was: "The excursions into nature keep me young; the exercise keeps me healthy and watching the little fellows eat affords me the greatest of entertainment."

Yukon Staging Brisk Comeback

VICTORIA, Dec. 24.—An enthusiastic picture of the Yukon's future was painted by Mrs. R. Lowe, widow of Robert Lowe, first speaker of the Yukon Council, in enumerating new developments in the mining industry now under way in that vast territory.

"We'll get out of the red; don't make any mistake about that," she said. "There's always a tomorrow and the Yukon is coming back into all her former glory. She cannot help it." Mrs. Lowe champions the cause of the "Sourdough" who has "All too long been packed away in an ice chest."

Large mining interests are doing important development work in the north country, she said. Air development is speeding up the mining work. The Yukon, she believes, has a network of highways which will be of inestimable value when the country is opened up.

"This is the first time the Yukon has had a break and she is pulling herself up by her own boot straps," she concluded.

Conscience Drives Youth To Confess

CHICAGO, Dec. 24—Harry M Bennett, twenty, of Lansing, Mich. walked into the detective bureau to ease his conscience. Bennett explained that he had stolen a pistol from the home of his fiancee; that he had taken an automobile that did not belong to him and that he had passed several worthless checks.

"Gun Not Loaded" Is Fatal To Baby

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 24—A gun that "wasn't loaded", caused the death of two-year-old Rosemary McCall. Her brother, Frank Jr., seven, was pretending to shoot at a pasteboard box under her crib. The gun discharged, wounding baby fatally.

RAILROADS TO LOWER FEED GRAIN RATE

Emergency Co-operation To Keep Life In U.S. Drought Stock

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—Canadian railways will act to move low grade feed wheat from Canada to cattle in United States drought-stricken areas. Following a meeting held last week in the office of Minister of Railways R. J. Manion, arrangements have been almost completed to put into effect an emergency rate on feed wheat. The movement of approximately 50,000,000 bushels of low grade Canadian wheat will be facilitated.

Wholesale slaughter of United States cattle in the drought areas may result in a beef scarcity later on unless feed is secured, it is understood. Canada will find a convenient market for her low grade wheat products and the United States cattle breeders will obtain necessary feed. The emergency rates were urged by John I. McFarland, head of the central selling agency for the wheat pools, as well as the boards of trade of Winnipeg and Vancouver.

Killer's Club In Mystery House

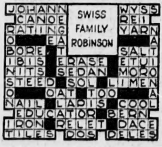
NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Eerie House of Mystery where Miss Victoria Muspratt lived alone and died alone—by a killer's bludgeon—was searched yesterday for the secret of her death.

Bank books showed deposits of $2,341 were found, but police continued to look through the littered rooms to determine if rolls of bills, as rumor had it, were hidden there A killer who believed the tale of secreted wealth and who sought to get it for himself was blamed by investigators for the killing.

Famous Explorer

HORIZONTAL
1, 7 Who was the famous explorer in the picture?
11 Wireman.
12 Wild buffalo.
13 To nullify.
14 Theatrical play.
16 Corpse.
17 Garment.
21 Ulcer.
24 To step.
26 Mongrel.
29 Pertaining to poles.
30 Food fish.
31 Native metal.
32 Fragrant oleoresin.
33 Pushed with a pole.
34 Custom.
35 Overpowering fright.
36 Unit.
37 Asp.
39 Afternoon meal.
40 Javanese tree.
42 Chair.
45 Originates.
49 Threads.
52 Seed covering.
53 Meadow.
55 Fence bar.
56 He made four —— exploration expeditions.
57 His title was rear —— (pl.).

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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IRON RELET DACE
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18 Constellation.
19 Reigning "beauty."
20 To relieve.
21 East Indian plant.
22 Odorous.
23 Fiber plant.
25 Pa.
26 Advice.
27 Bear constellation.
28 Smokes.
29 Energy.
37 Perched.
38 Ever.
40 One.
41 Sanskrit dialect.
43 Pertaining to air.
44 Drop of eye fluid.
46 Blemish.
47 Part of a circle.
48 Ocean.
50 By way of.
51 Measure of cloth.
54 Paid publicity.

VERTICAL
2 To be in debt.
3 Large.
4 Epoch.
5 Network.
6 Ringlet.
7 Tablets.
8 To sin.
9 Data.
10 Battering machine.
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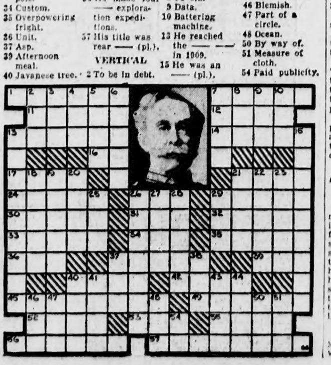

MOUNTIES OUT ROUNDING UP TARDY ONES

Eighteen Alleged Smuggler Suspects to be Brought In

MONTREAL, Dec. 24. — Royal Canadian Mounted Police last night had under close observation in the three maritime provinces and in British Columbia 14 of the 18 persons who failed to surrender voluntarily under a blanket warrant charging them with conspiracy to defraud the Dominion and Quebec government of $5,000,000 through illicit movement of alcohol.

The men, Montreal headquarters stated, had had the warrant served on them since the deadline for voluntary appearance ended Saturday, and would be brought to Montreal for arraignment immediately after Christmas.

They are in Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and one in British Columbia. Sunday a constable from the Montreal division left for Prince Edward Island. Another constable was to join him at Rimouski, Que., and the two would pick up those from the island province and return via Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, to secure suspects there.

NATIONALIZE MUNITIONS, URGES NYE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24. — The charge that the war department's "weak" mobilization plan would "turn the country over to the business interests during the next war" was made yesterday by Chairman Gerald Nye of the United States Senate Munitions Committee.

The munitions hearings, Nye said, had disclosed the need for legislation "to limit and control the profit in war and in preparation for war."

"They also disclosed," he added, "the frightful weakness of industrial plans for the next war. In them the change still remains large to repeat the game played for profit in the last war."

In place of the war department plan, the committee chairman is advocating immediate nationalization of the entire munitions industry.

Stabbing Victim Says Ghost Did It

CALCUTTA, Dec. 24.—A fisherman is in the hospital with a serious wound which he says was inflicted by a ghost. His wife and sister-in-law died a year ago and since then, he says, he has seen their phantoms flitting about the house. They have even spoken to him. One night the ghost of his sister-in-law appeared, blew out the light, and then stabbed him in the neck. He is not expected to live.

The strongest known timber is yate, one of Australia's hard woods.